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REPORTS

SAMPSON'S LIFE EBBING AWAY

Physicians Expect the End at Any Moment.

SEIZED WITH HEMORRHAGE

FOR MANY MONTHS THERE HAS BEEN NO HOPE.

Story of the Rapid Rise of the Son of a Poor Laborer to the Rank of Rear Admiral in the American Navy

ADMIRAL W. T. SAMPSON.

Born in Palmyra, N. Y., Feb. 9, 1840.

Appointed cadet at Annapolis, Sept. 24, 1857.

Graduated at the head of his class, 1861.

Commissioned lieutenant, July 16, 1862.

First sea service in 1862. Ironclad was blown up in Charleston harbor, and only his own coolness saved Sampson's life.

Commissioned lieutenant-commander, July 25, 1865; commander, Aug. 9, 1874; captain, March, 1889.

Became recognized as the greatest ordnance expert in the navy.

President of board that inquired into the destruction of the Maine.

Appointed to command North Atlantic Squadron during war with Spain.

Commodore, 1898, and rear admiral, 1899.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Admiral Sampson today had a violent hemorrhage of the brain.

At 2 p. m. the Admiral was unconscious and breathing laboriously. His physician stated that he is failing rapidly and that the end may come at any moment. For several days past the Admiral has been growing weaker and the hemorrhage this morning brought on the sinking spell.

For nearly a year there has been no hope of the admiral's recovery, and during a good part of that time his mind has been a blank.

Admiral Sampson came of humble parents. His father was a laborer in Palmyra, Wayne Count, N. Y. He had eight children, of whom William Thomas was the eldest. He dug at the ditches with his father when he was a boy and turned his hand to whatever labor come his way.

In 1857 there was a vacancy at Annapolis at the disposal of the congressional representative from the Wayne County district, whose name is long since forgotten. He offered it to several of the well-to-do boys in the village. They all refused it. Then he offered the place to young Sampson, son of the laborer, and Sampson took it. He went to the Naval Academy and graduated with credit.

Sampson's first sea service was on the ironclad Patapsco. He was a lieutenant when the vessel was struck and sunk, by a torpedo in the harbor of Charleston, Jan. 15, 1865.

Sampson exhibited even then an unusual degree of that coolness of temperament which distinguished him in more mature years and aided materially in his promotion. As the Patapsco went down in the dark, Sampson was caught around the ankles by the boarding net and drawn down with the ship. Waiting until the first rush was over, he deliberately worked his feet loose, rose to the surface and was picked up.

Secretary Long made Sampson president of the court of inquiry that investigated the blowing up of the Maine. After the court made its report President McKinley selected Sampson, then a captain, for commander of the North Atlantic Squadron, to relieve Rear Admiral Sicard. When war was declared he was in command of the fleet operating in West Indian waters.

He was commander-in-chief of the fleet that destroyed Cervera's squadron at Santiago.

When the Spanish ships came out of the harbor, Sampson, on the New York, was nearly 20 miles away. Commodore Winfield Scott Schley assumed command of the American ships, and the Spaniards were destroyed before Sampson could rejoin his fleet.

Out of this event grew the famous controversy over the honor of the victory.

QUEEN WILHELMINA IMPROVES

Slept Most of the Time Last Night, and Temperature Normal This Morning.

THE HAGUE. May 6.—Queen Wilhelmina's physicians, in their morning bulletin, issued at Castle Loo, say:

After a slight rise in her temperature yesterday evening, the queen had a quiet night and slept most of the time.

Her temperature this morning is normal and her condition at the present moment is fairly satisfactory, although the patient still requires great care and attention.

RACING RESULTS.

Morris Park Results.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Morris Park. Weather clear, track fast.

First race, 5 furlongs. Bon Mot, 111 (Wonderly) 9 to 5, first by neck; Khita I, [illegible] (J. Martin) 5 to 1, second; Col. Bill, [illegible] (M. Thompson) 20 to 1, third. Time, [illegible].

EDITOR "WE" WAS BADLY BEATEN IN THE BATTLE OF BETHANY, MO.

The Thrilling Flight of "We," the Owl's Active Editor; or, Marooned in a Photograph Gallery, as Related by the Owl Man Himself, the Hero of the Greatest Footrace in the Annals of Harrison County.

The editor of the esteemed Weekly Owl of Bethany, Mo., is a candid man. In his issue of April 30 he prints an exciting story of five columns, relating how he was "licked" and chased by two of his fellow citizens with a grievance, and how "the greatest footrace ever recorded in the annals of Harrison County" was witnessed by more than 200 persons. He does not attempt to conceal the fact that he was properly "done up," but proclaims in bold headlines:

OWL MAN RUNS!

He should have entitled this prize narrative "The Precipitate Flight of 'We,' or, Marooned in a Photograph Gallery."

The editor of the esteemed Owl refers to himself throughout as "We," using the editorial prerogative. Nowhere in the story does his name appear—nothing but "We," but the "we" he plays up strong. "We" had the time of his life during the struggle and subsequent siege he describes, and all because he "wrote a piece" for his own paper. He says:

Bethany Town Was All Excited.

There was excitement intense in town Saturday evening. The Owl man was compelled to take flight. He was chased through the business part of the city. John Templeman and Virgil Yates were splitting the wind some feet behind. But as the Owl man's physical dexterity surpassed theirs he left the two sleuths far in the rear and sought refuge in the most secluded part of Simpson's photograph gallery.

The trouble started on the east side of the square in front of Judge Howe's flour store. From this place the race for life began. But as nothing momentous happeneded there the Owl's running qualities were not impaired.

In order that all may know the complete history of this scrap, why it was sprung up, etc., we will tell as truthfully as we can the whole gamut of the relevant facts.

In the Owl of April 16 there appeared the second chapter of "Tales of Love in Bethany."

The editor of the Owl goes on to say that Virgil Yates is the man referred to in the story and also publishes the name of the young woman.

Virgil Yates is a printer who works in the Democrat office, at Bethany, Harrison County, Mo.

John Templeman always has despised this paper. When he first learned that it was growing so rapidly he put his glut-like feet down and declared he would do all in his feeble way to crush it. He has denounced the Owl in the most vindictive language. Of course he never suspected that reaching us as he supposed this paper had no friends around town. But he never mentioned us either directly or indirectly in his antiquated paper. He was deficient in courage. Though he is a man of very ordinary caliber he had a faint suspicion that it was policy to ignore us.

Enemies Were Looking for "We"

After a sharp roast on the Democrat's failing subscription list "We" continues:

When John Templeman read the love article that was published two weeks ago he thought his opportunity had come. He imagined he could stimulate an enormous amount of prejudice and ill-feeling against this paper by kicking up the dust and raising pandemonium because two typesetters in his office were put before the public eye.

WHO WROTE THAT PIECE ABOUT ME?
Ham.

"We" tells of the various threats made against him, and then tells about a wight named Higgins who made pictures for the Owl. Some of the enraged Bethanyites believed that Higgins wrote the article in question. A column is devoted to this, and to the search made for Higgins by Templeman.

The other fellows spent the time looking for "We," but "We" was not in town. They thought they had him marooned in a photograph gallery at that time, as they had later on, and wasted nearly a whole day watching for him. Of this incident "We" says:

It was evident from the start that these men did not wish to adjust this matter amicably. They merely wanted to heap contempt on this paper. Seemingly, neither one had tact enough to know that the greater stress they laid on it the more the public would be interested and the faster our list would grow. We got more unsolicited subscriptions in the last two days than in the same length of time since early last fall. Thirty-seven new names have been added to our big list since Saturday evening.

How the Bethany Battle Was Fought.

But all this is preliminary. Now comes the main story—the true history of the gladiatorial combat and the mad race for life and refuge in a photograph gallery, just as "We" himself saw and felt it:

When we left home Saturday morning we were not anticipating any trouble. We went on the streets, unguarded and unprepared for war. We never had the slightest idea that our body would be molested. But we changed our minds before we had got around the square.

We smote the air with our distended nostrils, gave an effeminate look at the wriggling heap of people and started among them with subscription book in hand. By the time we had opened the book Virgil Yates stepped up close, but didn't say a word. When we looked up and said, "How do you do, Mr. Yates?" he never bade the time of day, but said apparently with lawful authority:

"Who wrote that piece on me?" at the same time laying his angry hand on our pulsating breast.

Our brother, who was standing near, took hold of his hand and said: "Step back!" He did so.

We didn't want to tell who the author of the article in question was, because we knew it was none of Yates' business. But we were willing to pacify him and said so. He did not, however, wish to conciliate things and continued to repeat the question: "Who wrote tha piece?"

We didn't want to fight because we are not built that way. We haven't enough reserve physical force to whip a game rooster. Early in life we came to the conclusion that all trouble of this nature would be suppressed if we had any hand in it. So we never groomed ourselves for the prize-fighter's ring. We simply ran or hid.

When we told the exasperated Yates that we were willing to make reparation if we had been indiscreet, he grew all the madder, and while we were telling him how nice the other young men had actd, he clinched his fist, gritted his teeth, blinked his eyes, planted his right foot on a brick and slung his fist through space like a meteor till it came in contact with our head. Then its motion nearly stopped, but the Owl man's head twisted and reeled as though it were on a pivot. As we were standing on the edge of the sidewalk the terrific jar knocked us off backwards, but the blow didn't cause precipitation.

Our brother stepped between us. Yates rushed at us again like a maniac. He had it in for the Owl, and was going to fight or bust. When Walter Cornelison took the mediator by the collar and held him the printer had full sway. We were then in a crowd of people, most of whom were in sympathy with the Dem. men.

Yates biased away and gave the Owl man another lick on the head that almost caused a fracture of the skull and concussion of the brain. While the

"THE HOT PERFUME OF HIS BREATH WAS FORCED AHEAD OF ME."

little pale-faced printer had nothing in his hand, the cuff felt like a brick slammed against our head.

By this time we were doing like the ostrich when it is in danger—trying to hide our head. But there was nothing in sight, not even a corn husk or piece of paper. So all we could do was dodge the blows, but it seemed to us that we shoved our head in the wrong direction every time. Anyway, the licks came thick and fast and after our head was pounded soft the idea popped into our head to run.

But before we had started away like a deer of the forest John Templeman was in the street attempting to head us off. Then it was two against one. Seeing that no one came to our assistance, we sprang out of that street with all possible celerity. Then the biggest race that ever happened in the annals of Harrison County history was witnessed by hundreds of men, women and children.

"We" Wanted to Save "Our Scalps."

The Owl man is small of stature. His limbs are short and emaciated. There isn't an atom of useless flesh on his body. So all he had to carry was the bone, sinew and muscle necessary to hold him together.

The first thing we did of any consequence was to drop the subscription book. This was, however, of so little importance that we never knew when the book left our hands. We were more interested in saving our scalps.

The Owl man took for the courthouse. Templeman, whom we used to consider the very pink of laziness, broke his customary way of moving around and sprang through the air like a horned toad and caught our coat as it swept by him. But as his fingers lacked the quality of adhesiveness the smooth garment slipped from between his fingers and we were out of his reach before he had time to turn his unwieldy frame around.

In the meantime Yates was cutting fantastic didoes both on the ground and in the air. He tried to make people believe he was an acrobat, but his movements were too slow and clumsy to appeal to the human eye. Still there was a symmetry in his actions, as well as "method in his madness." But he has been around the Democrat office so long that he has lost most of his power of locomotion.

Templeton kept as close to the Owl man as his legs would let him. We could hear him puffing like a motor engine. The hot perfume of his breath was forced so far ahead that it almost obstructed our passage of respiration. He put forth his best licks. Every move in his corpulent body was at the highest tension. He extended his arms to their fullest limit, hoping to grasp the tail of our coat as it sailed so near in front. But he had grown too gigantic to cope with the lilliputian. Does anyone think for a moment that a shoat weighing 300 or 400 pounds could catch a cat?

The Owl man and the Democrat men was by this time the cynosure of all eyes. Although it was election day, every man's attention was diverted from party candidates to the liveliest foot race they had ever seen.

As the Owl man's lung capacity is small his breathing became more difficult by the time he reached the street south of the courthouse. His tongue was lolling out and eyes protruding noticeably. The danger behind coupled with the excitement of the people made his running power great despite all physical infirmities.

Down the middle of the main street went the racers. People on the southwest corner of the square didn't know wheat it meant. Some thought it was a run for a wager but others had an idea that something of more potency was at stake. Anyway all conversation stopped and facts became sober.

When we got to the southwest corner we jumped up the stairway leading to Simpson's gallery. In going up we just hit those steps twice. Then the trouble seekers stopped for they seemed to have enough discretion not to follow.

In a short time hundreds of people had filled the street to the jamming point. They pushed their way clear up to the stairway and if anyone had wanted up it would have been impossible to force through the crowd.

While the race was in progress Walter Cornelison was holding our brother Claude to keep him from preventing trouble. This man, who was entirely out of his place, will be mentioned further next week. From now on the Owl is going to expose every man who crosses its path, regardless of wealth, social position or ancestry.

The Owl man was treed for three hours. Only a few times during this whole time did he show himself. Most of the time he was in a back room consulting friends. We were not deciding the destiny of future generations or solving any of the mysteries of the universe. We were simply being given encouragement by a class of men who do not know what fear is. They advised us to do as we pleased and pay no attention to the threats of the Democrat men.

"We" Was Very Apologetic.

The remarkable history ends with full apologies, of which this is one, with the young woman's name omitted by the Post-Dispatch:

APOLOGY NO. 1.

The Owl has caused the hurting of Miss ——'s feelings. We think, therefore, we owe her an apology even if we have more than once before said that we had no intention of causing her mental distress. We never spoke to this young lady in our life and all we know concerning her is hearsay. But we can truthfully say that her name was always spoken of in words of praise and endearment. She is a perfect lady and we are sorry we have wounded her feelings. We will say in passing by that we never made it a practice of bringing a good woman's name into disrepute.

The other is similar. Just for good measure, apparently, "We" prints the following on the first page of his paper, where four columns of his story was already set forth:

ANOTHER LICKING.

Considerable excitement prevailed Monday and Tuesday over a report that the Owl man had been waylaid and pounded up in great shape. We are only too glad that we have not been mauled to pieces yet. Truly the Owl is getting to be a famous paper. Everywhere we go it is the subject of comment. Well, of course, the people like to hear the news. We don't blame them.

Surely, here is the strenuous life done to a frazzle and whipped to a froth. What was San Juan Hill compared to the battle of Bethany?

DELIGHTFUL WEATHER COMING

Dr. Hyatt Looks for Showers Tuesday Evening and Then Lowering Temperature.

"It will be cooler Wednesday," was the optimistic prediction ventured by Dr. R. J. Hyatt Tuesday.

GEE! ITS HOT
Ham

Old Sol was out in all his glory during the day and by noon Tuesday the thermomter had climbed above 84 degrees.

"This weather is too hot to last long "remarked Dr. Hyatt. By that I mean that we are not prepared for a torrid spell.

"There is a high headed this way and by tomorrow we may look for a delightful change.

"We will probably have showers this afternoon."

TALTY AND FISHER

IN CLEAR DECISION

DENY INJUNCTION

Harper, Wallace and Heidrick May Play With Browns of St. Louis.

CONTRACT WAS NOT MUTUAL

AMERICAN LIBERTY WAS ABROGATED BY ITS TERMS.

There Was Lack of Good Public Policy in the Restraining Clause and the Evidence of a Trust Was a Bar.

The application for an injunction made by the National League under the name of the American Baseball and Athletic Exhibition Co. for the purpose of restraining Wallace and Harper from playing with the St. Louis Browns, was denied by Judge Talty Tuesday morning in Circuit Court No. 7.

Judge Fisher, in courtroom No. 6, at about the same hour, denied the application of the same company asked against Emmett Heidrick.

The decision of Judge Fisher was oral and said the bill of the plaintiffs was dismissed.

Harper is one of the great pitchers of the country. Heidrick is a center fielder. Wallace is shortstop.

The decision is based in lack of mutuality of the contract, its abrogation of personal liberty, which may not be bartered away, its opposition to public policy and its showing of the existence of a combination in violation of the anti-trust laws. This last showing is stated by the decision as a sufficient bar to the enforcement of the contract were it valid, which it is not.

Judge Talty, in deciding the case of Harper, covered the points on which the decision in the two other cases rests.

He says:

"The plaintiff's bill charges that the defendant contracted to render it services as a baseball player from April 15 to Oct. 15, 1902, and that he would not play for any other club during that period, but that he refuses to abide by, or perform the terms of his agreement, and has entered into a contract to play with the American League Club of St. Louis. And this was proven at the hearing.

"The bill further alleges the personal qualifications and services on the part of the defendant, which he contracted to render plaintiff, were of the class and type known and recognized as special, unique, extraordinary and artistic. The evidence did not establish these allegations to our satisfaction.

Bookkeeper Not an Expert Witness

"Plaintiff's bookkeeper, who is not a ball player, undertook to testify to this as an expert. The official record of the average of baseball players and the testimony of witnesses Tebeau and Joyce, both veterans in the baseball arena, did not tend to show that Harper's services are of a unique character, or that he has special or peculiar knowledge, skill or ability, the former stating that in 1899 he was quite a young pitcher, so that they loaned him out, and that he did not see him again until he came here last season, when he saw him pitch three or four games which he thought were good, first-class, and that the latter testified that he could not form any opinion as to what sort of player he was.

Pennsylvania Case Not Parallel.

"We are referred to a recent decision in a case similar to this against one Lajoie in Pennsylvania, where the writ of injunction issued. Decisions of the courts of other states are persuasive, but we are not bound to follow them. And furthermore, it is sufficient to say that it is apparent from a reading of that decision, that the plaintiff's evidence there was quite different, much stronger, than that adduced at the hearing of this case.

"Again, it is contended, and we are of the opinion, that the contract is lacking in mutuality. Defendant is bound as with bands of steel for the entire contractual period, while section 4 gives the plaintiff the power, at its option, to expel defendant, which means to cancel the contract, for certain enumerated acts or reasons, all of which the plaintiff is made the exclusive and arbitrary judge, and section 14 gives it the right to end and determine all its liabilities and obligations thereunder by simply giving the defendant 10 days notice of its intention to do so. Numerous cases expressly hold that courts of equity will never interfere to enforce a contract where the power to revoke or terminate the same is given to either party to the agreement, the reason being that such contract might be terminated by the party holding the option after decree of performance in his favor was rendered, and the decree thus made nugatory.

The Contract Against Public Policy.

"We will pass from defendant's contention that the provisions of the contract are as a whole—which includes the League constitution, rules and regulation which by paragraph 14 are made a part of the agreement—lacking in uniformity, and are so unfair and unconscionable as to make it inequitable for a court of equity to enforce the same, to the point made that the contract is against public policy. Now, even if it does not come within the prohibition of the anti-trust statute, the evidence shows that plaintiff was, during the life of the contract in suit, in league or combination with other clubs to fix and control the salary of players, the price of admission to be charged at the games played by members of the combination and to control the employment of players. The contract was made in furtherance of this combination, and if, as urged by defendants, it was an unlawful one, it is against public policy and bars plaintiff from obtaining the relief sought in court of equity.

Personal Liberty Is Abrogated.

Personal liberty, which is guaranteed to every citizen under our constitution and laws, consists in the right to go where one pleases, and when, and to do that which may lead to one's business or pleasure, only so far restricting it as the right of others make it necessary for the welfare of other citizens.

City v. Roach, 128, Mo., 123.

"The securities of individual right cannot be too frequently declared, nor in too many form of words; nor is it possible to guard too frequently against the encroachments of power. These terms, 'life,' 'liberty' and 'property' are representative terms and cover every right to which a member of the body politic freedom, exemption from arbitrary arrests, the right to buy and sell as others may; all our liberties, personal, civil, and political; in short, all that makes life worth living; and of none of these liberties can any one be deprived, except by due process of law."

"It is the wish and pleasure of the defendant to serve his present employer. In doing this he exercises the right of choosing his own associates and serving whom he sees fit, going at his own pleasure, following his chosen occupation and enjoying the gains of his own industry. These are the natural rights of free men, and go to make up the 'liberty' which the constitutional provisions in question guarantee and protect. And it would seem that they are rights which cannot be bartered away by either contractor or consent, because all provisions of agreement in contravention of law are void.

"One may, by contracting to render personal services to another lay himself liable in money damages to his contractee in case he does not carry out his agreement, but can he be deprived of the right or liberties given by the state and federal constitution? Can any such penalty be imposed for the breaches of a contract? And if not, would it be depriving him of the rights vouchsaved him by the constitution to restrain him from serving his present employer?

"This memoranda, hastily written, as we have only just received the briefs, give our reasons in the rough why the injunction prayed for by the plaintiff will be, and is, denied."

GUSHERS SHOW A WEAKNESS

Some Spindle Top Wells, With Abundance of Oil, Lack Gas to Make Proper Flow.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

BEAUMONT, Tex., May 6.—Oil well owners admit a diminishing amount of natural gas and an increasing difficulty in persuading some wells in certain sections of Spindle Top to flow.

There is no apparent diminuition in the supply of oil nor has it been necessary to pump wells to get oil to the surface, but there is a growing demand for compressed air to assist weak gas pressure in forcing oil through long lines of many angled pipes to storage tanks and loading racks, although there is no difficulty in gushing standard wells either into the air or through pipe lines.

Much of the weakness is undoubtedly due to imperfect drilling and to the choking of the well. Conservative oil men think increasing price will more than offset the decreasing flow.

There are no instances of failure to fulfill a contract to bring in a gusher in the proven territory, and strong gushers are being bailed in almost daily and added to the 250 wells on the field.

NO SMALLPOX AT THE TRACK

Health Commissioner Says He Has No Information of the Existence of the Disease There.

Health Commissioner Starkloff stated to the Post-Dispatch Tuesday morning that he had no information that smallpox existed at the Fair Grounds.

"Two of my sanitary inspectors were there yesterday," he said, "and reported to me that the general conditions are satisfactory. There are no cases of varioloid there."

Joseph Kern, a stableman, was taken from 4238 Margaretta avenue Monday afternoon suffering with smallpox. The house was thoroughly fumigated by the city health authorities then and again Tuesday.

It is stated that there was no exposure within the Fair Grounds. Those exposed at the house were vaccinated Monday.

FAMOUS AMERICAN AUTHOR'S LIFE ENDS.

FRANCIS BRET HARTE.

Died Suddenly in London, May 6, 1902.

PLAIN LANGUAGE FROM TRUTHFUL JAMES.

(Bret Harte's Best Known Lines.)

Which I wish to remark,
  And my language is plain,
That for ways that are dark
  And for tricks that are vain,
The heathen Chinee is peculiar,
  Which the same I would rise to explain.

Ah Sin was his name;
  And I shall not deny,
In regard to the same,
  What that name might imply;
But his smile was pensive and childlike,
  As I frequent remarked to Bill Nye.

It was August the third,
  And quite soft was the skies;
Which it might be inferred
  That Ah Sin was likewise;
Yet he played it that day upon William
  And me in a way I despise.

Which we had a small game,
  And Ah Sin took a hand;
It was euchre. The same
  He did not understand;
But he smiled as he sat by the table
  With the smile that was childlike and
      bland.

Yet the cards they were stocked
  In a way that I grieve,
And my feelings were shocked
  At the state of Nye's sleeve,
Which was stuffed full of aces and bowers,
  And the same with intent to deceive.

But the hands that were played
  By that heathen Chinee,
And the points that he made,
  Were quite frightful to see,
Til lat last he put down a right bower
  Which the same Nye had dealt unto me

Then I looked up at Nye,
  And he gazed upon me;
And he rose with a sigh,
  And said: "Can this be?
We are ruined by Chinese cheap labor,"
  And he went for that heathen Chinee.

In the scene that ensued
  I did not take a hand,
But the floor it was strewed
  Like the leaves on the strand,
With the cards that Ah Sin had been hiding
  In the game "he did not understand."

In his sleeves, which were long,
  He had twenty-four jacks—
Which was coming it strong,
  Yet I state but the facts;
And we found on his nails, which were taper,
  What is frequent in tapers—that's wax

Which is why I remark,
  And my language is plain,
That for ways that are dark
  And for tricks that vain,
The heathen Chinee is peculiar—
  Which the same I am free to maintain.

THE EXPOSITION BUILDING SALE

A TEMPORARY INJUNCTION HAS BEEN ASKED FOR.

BONDHOLDERS AFTER MONEY

Creditors of the Association Are Making an Effort to Prevent the Proposed Auction.

W. J. Atkinon, Woodward & Tiernan Printing Co. and the Great Western Printing Co., creditors of the St. Louis Exposition and Music Hall Association, have filed an injunction suit oin the Circuit Court against E. O. Stannard, trustee for the association, and the St. Louis Exposition and Music Hall Association asking for a temporary injunction and restraining order to prevent the sale of the Exposition building, which is scheduled to take place Wednesday morning.

The building is to be sold under a mortgage of $150,000, and it is thought that the Public Library Board will buy the property.

The mortgage was secured by bonds for the full amount, but only $10,000 of these bonds were ever redeemed, and the bondholders, to get their money out of the deal, foreclosd.

Judge Wood before the application for the injunction was made refused to hear the arguments because he is a stockholder in the association.

"PING PONG ANKLE" LATEST

New Disease, Character of Which Is Described in the British Medical Journal.

LONDON, May 6.—"Ping Pong ankle" is the latest companion to "tennis elbow." The medical name is tenosynovitis, and it hurts much. An account of a case of "ping pong ankle" is given prominence in the British Medical Journal. The patient had considerable swelling of the left leg above the ankle. The swelling subsided after a day passed in bed. An examination showed acute inflammation of the shreaths of the ten-acute inflamation of the sheaths of the tendons connected with the muscles round the skin. The attendant physician ascertained that the sufferer was an ardent ping pong player and he wrote to the Medical Journal, warning players that the game involves a great strain on the shinbone muscles, and that until a costume and footgear appropriate to the popular sport is evolved, the disease is likely to frequently occur.

Public School Children's Picture Contest.

Contest Ended.

All votes must be in this office by 6 p. m., Wednesday, May 7.

Any votes received after that time will not be counted.

The committee will announce the result of the contest in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch.

NOT ONE PACKER CAME TO COURT

Attorneys Tried to Stop the Beef Trust Inquiry.

OVERRULED BY THE JUSTICE

RETAILERS SWEAR THEY WERE ALLOWED REBATES.

Not Permitted to Buy From Any Concern Outside the "Big Four," Under Penalty of a Virtual Boycott by the Combine.

From a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 6.—None of the officials of wholesale packing houses in St. Louis, St. Joseph and Kansas City appeared before Judge Burgess Tuesday morning in the beef trust inquiry.

Charles B. Armour and Kirkland B. Armour of Kansas City and O. W. Waller of St. Joseph, the last named agent for Swift, failed to appear in response to subpenas and were represented by Attorneys Frank Hagerman and Alexander New.

In the absence of the big packers, St. Joseph retail butchers, some of them former managers and salesmen for Armour, Swift, Nelson Morris, Cudahy and Hammond, told of trust methods in St. Joseph.

The testimony at the morning session established these facts:

Damaged and partly spoiled meat is sold to the butcher at a reduced price, after a concession has been granted to the wholesaler by the arbitrator representing the other firms. The damaged or stale meat is sold to restaurants and boarding houses.

An arbitrator fixes the price of meat for all the packers and imposes fines.

Prices of meat are fixed at semi-weekly meetings of St. Joseph packing house managers.

Rebates are given secretly by salesmen to retailers.

Fines are imposed on firms giving rebates when the practice is discovered.

Retailers do not buy from outside firms, fearing a virtual boycott by the combine.

Attorney-General E. C. Crow expects that more witnesses will arrive Tuesday night, and that the inquiry will last through Wednesday. He says: "The packers who have declared there was no trust have been given an opportunity to show that fact, and have failed to appear. I think they could be compelled to attend, but I don't know that that will be attempted.

"The present proceeding is merely an inquiry, preliminary to possible prosecution. The facts brought out this morning demonstrate that an iron-clad agreement exists in St. Joseph."

STRONG PROOF OF A COMBINE

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 6.—At the opening of the Beef Trust inquiry in Division 2 of the State Supreme Court this morning, Attorney Frank Hagerman of Kansas City, representing the Armour, Cudahy, Swift, Morris and Hammond interests, filed an objection to the progress of the inquiry.

Mr. Hagerman, who was accompanied by Alexander New, said that he proposed to bring in question the validity of the state anti-trust law.

"We represent," said Mr. Hagerman, "the concerns which Attorney-General Crow charges with unlawful combination.

"Our clients on our advice are not present. The proposed proceeding is an unfair one to them, as they have not been allowed to summon witnesses, while the state has a number of witnesses.

"We wish to proceed by an application for a writ of prohibition of a certiorari," said Mr. Hagerman. "We wish to bring the law before the Supreme Court, to be passed upon as to its constitutionality.

"This proceeding is merely a fishing expedition on the part of the attorney-general."

Attorney-General E. C. Crow replied, stating that the inquiry had been called for the purpose of learning whether proceedings should be commenced to prevent them from doing business in this state.

"The attorneys in the absence of the packers, have no right here, but I will extend them the courtesies of the court and allow them to cross-examine my witness."

Judge Burgess ruled that the inquiry should proceed and Frank Standerous, a St. Joseph retailer, was called as the first witness.

Attorney-General Crow has received no report of service of the subpoenas on the Armours or on O. W. Waller of St. Joseph, representing Swift & Co. Gus Bischoff, secretary of the St. Louis Dressed Beef & Provision Co., and J. C. Dold, first vice-president of the Jacob Dold Packing Co. of Kansas City, have notified Mr. Crow that they will appear, but Mr. Dold is not expected to arrive until 2:40 Tuesday afternoon.

The Men Who Appear as Witnesses.

Most of the men on whom service has obtained are retail dealers. The following were served up to Monday night:

Thomas Kroeger, William Ramsey, Thomas Stringer, William Tanne, James Quinilivan, Maurice Prendeville, Charles Wismuth, Helery Wallbrink, all of St. Louis; W. S. Proull, J. F. Trapp, J. V. Crandall, manager for Swift & Co., T. M. Longmuir, manager Hammond Packing Co., F. F. Seiler, R. Hafner, A. H. Bertrand, Frank Standerous, president Butchers' Union, Felix Nuliski, Philip M. Falk, all of St. Joseph.

Frank Standerous, the first witness, was questioned by Attorney-General Crow concerning the coolers maintained in St. Joseph by Morris, Cudahy, Armour and Hammond.

"The coolers are near together," said the witness. "They do not do a retail business, but they sell to large customers on the quiet."

The witness said that the St. Joe Butchers' Union, of which he is president, was organized for the purpose of protecting retailers from the competition of wholesalers by sales "on the quiet."

"The salesmen in charge of the city coolers notified the retailers 15 days ago that the price of meat would rise," said Standerous.

"The representative of Nelson Morris & Co. notified me Thursday of an advance to occur the next Monday.

"The advance was on beef carcasses, including hindquarters, and pork."

In answer to a question, Standerson said that he had bought meat on receiving this notice, to avoid paying the higher prices in prospect, and had sold the meat at retail on a scale of advanced prices.

"Is it not customary for paking companies to notify their best customers in advance of a raise in the price, to give them the benefit of buying before the raise?" he was asked.

"It is."

"Are rebates ever given?"

"Yes, I have received them."

"Do you know who fixes the price?"

"No."

"Who made arrangements with you before the rebate?"

"Martin Dabindo, manager for Cudahy & Co."

"Did he come to your place and give you the rebate in money?"

"Yes. A year ago we returned $31. Two years ago a representative of Armour & Co. paid me a similar rebate. He paid it in the cooler after I had paid the bill."

"Were you told to say nothing about it?"

"Yes."

"Did you ever learn that the packers

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Pongees trimmed in velvet bands $3, Coronation reds $2.50 and solid tops, edged with colored borders, $2.50.

Black and White Parasols, with the stylish black gnarled club stick, with white silk tassel are entirely new and cost $4.

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have an agreement by which they would be fined for giving rebates?"

"No."

"Is the business done at the coolers checked up by anyone?"

"Yes, I have been told sometimes when making purchases that I would have to pay at once, as the cooler was to be checked up."

"Are all the coolers checked up by the same man each week?"

"Yes, every Saturday."

"Have the packing houses in St. Joseph a c. o. d. list?"

"Yes. A man who is delinquent is placed on the list, and after the next Wednesday he must pay cash."

"If a dealer is put on the c. o. d. list by one packer must he pay cash to all?"

"Yes."

The Advance in Meat Prices.

"Have you ever received rebates in the form of beef?"

"No."

"How much has meat advanced?"

"On chuck and round steak, 2½ cents, and on porterhouse and tenderloin, 5 cents, with advances on all other classes of meat?"

"When the Wolf company entered St. Joseph, was there a uniform reduction in meat prices?"

"Yes."

"Did the price go up after they retired from business?"

"It did."

"Do you know why they went out of business?"

"No."

"Are there any independant packers in St. Joseph?"

"There is one slaughter house where eight or ten head a day are killed."

"Is the quotation by all the city salesmen the same for the same day of the week?"

"The same."

"Is the price of bacon and hams uniform?"

"On hams, not always on bacon."

"Did the packers attempt to force the dealers to buy from them when they first came to St. Joseph?"

Attorney Hagerman declined to cross examine the witness, and J. F. Sieger of St. Joseph was called as the second witness.

The witness said that he was formerly in charge of a cooler for Swift & Co., but is now a retailer.

"When I first worked at the coolers," said Sieger, "the managers of the coolers fixed the prices of meat, meeting Wednesday and Friday afternoons.

"When they could not agree on a raise, they left meat at the same price; if they did not agree, it remained the same with all the companies."

The witness told of the c. o. d. list, agreed on by all packers, to prevent the sale of meat on credit by any packer to a delinquent customer of any of the others.

"If a piece of meat is in danger of spoiling, the packers are allowed to sell it cheaper. This is called a concession.

"I have never bought any meat in that way. By that time it would be too bad for me. But some butchers buy it."

"Are the packers fined for rate cutting and rebates?"

"I have known of the Armour Packing Co. being fined for this reason."

Put a Finger on Their Lips.

"Have you received rebates?"

"Yes, from Nelson Morris, on whole carcasses."

"Were you told not to say anything?"

"They would do this," and the witness put his finger to his lips.

J. V. Crandell, auditor of the Swift Packing Co. at St. Joseph, and Secretary Longmuir of the Hammond Packing Co., were next called for.

"They are absent on our advice," said Attorney New.

Franklin Schaab, a St. Joseph retailer, took the stand. He testified to the uniformity of prices and the practice of granting rebates.

"A man stole a list of bills from my shop," said Schaab, "and gave them to the [illegible], who worked for all the packing companies, and the Armour Co. was fined for giving me a rebate [illegible]

the man who stole the bills. He was found, and proved to be a salesman for one of the packers. He was transferred to Kansas City at once."

"Did any trouble come to you as a result from this occurrence?"

"I have not dealt with Armour's since. I have received rebates from Cudahy's, but no trouble resulted, as they were not found out."

The names of a number of packing officials were then called, but none responded.

Philip M. Falk of St. Joseph was the first employe of a wholesale house to testify. He said he had formerly worked for Nelson Morris as city manager.

He testified that A. Freund, for whom he is city salesman, fixed prices daily, according to the quality of meat and the prices paid for cattle. He said that 2000 men are employed in the St. Joseph packing houses. On most of the questions put to him, Mr. Folk pleaded ignorance, and no statement regarding rebates, concessions, fines or agreements was obtained from him.

Damaged Meat Sold on Concessions.

Another St. Joseph retailer, A. F. Deyoe, was the next witness. He admitted that he had bought damaged meat on concession, and that prices were lower on such goods by agreement of managers of coolers.

"I have a class of trade to which I can sell meat that some dealers consider spoiled," said Deyoe. "If I can sell it promptly it is just right for use. I have a demand for that class of meat, and often inquire of the city salesmen for it."

"What is a concession as the term is understood?"

"The privilege of selling meat at a lower price than that fixed."

"What class of trade buys concession meat?"

"Short order restaurants and boarding houses, where tender staeks are called for. I know my business, and I know that a great deal of this so-called spoiled meat is merely ripe and in the best condition for use."

John Wood, a St. Joseph retailer, testified that four packing companies controlled the beef in St. Joseph.

Wood said that the price had increased four or five times since Jan. 1.

All Fear the "Big Four."

"The packers won't allow a small packing company to come in," said Wood. "They cut the rates on him in other towns.

"I ordered some meat from the Morris Packing Co. of Ottumwa, Io., and they failed to fill the order. I got after their salesman, Cody, and he said they did not dare to ship fresh meat to St. Joseph for fear the "Big Four" would fight them. He said they were doing well enough with the sale of smoked meat and could not afford to antagonize the big dealers."

Wood said that he had in his possession a receipt for a rebate, and promised to give the receipt to Mr. Crow. He said he had bought concession meat in but one instance. He defined concession meat as the sale of meat at less than the agreed price.

"I asked the price on some meat at Swift's cooler last February," said Wood, "and the manager told me to wait until 2 o'clock that afternoon, and he would get a concession on it. I waited and got the meat cheaper.

"Who fixes the prices for St. Joseph?"

"Beverly R. D. Lacey, paying teller of the Tootle-Lemon Bank."

He said that salesmen had told him they would be fined if their practice of rebates was known, and that salesmen for Nelson Morris & Co. had told him that they had been fined.

"Who fixes the fines?"

"Mr. Lacey."

R. Haffner, St. Joseph retailer, told of the uniform price concession and rebate system and was followed by A. H. Beiland, also of St. Joseph.

Beiland said that meat sold on concession was the kind which "had been hanging a week, and had grown dark and stinky."

J. S. Brown was the last St. Joseph retailer to testify. He named salesmen who told him to keep still about rebates, lest they should be fined.

He said four weeks ago the market was thrown open for a few days in order to drive the Wolf Packing Co. of Topeka out of the St. Joseph field. This effort, he said, was successful.

The St. Joseph witnesses were discharged and a recess taken after Mr. Seitler had been recalled.

"Why did you quit your place as city salesman for Swift?" he was asked.

"One day I didn't learn the new price list and sold at the prices of the day before. Lambs had gone up, and complaint was made Armour's salesman of my selling below the rate, and I was discharged."

A MISSISSIPPI PLUNGER

Old Man Jumped From a Sand Barge and Tried to End His Existence.

William Echlar, 63 years old, of 2345 South Second street, attempted to end his life Tuesday by jumping into the Mississippi river from a sand barge at the foot of St. George street.

He was rescued by William Eckert of 2624 De Kalb street and Henry Winz of 2824 South Third street.

After the old man was brought to land he was sent to the City Hospital for treatment.

He did not state why he wished to end his life.

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WIFE BEATER SENTENCED.

Joseph O'Brien Must Spend 106 Days in the Workhouse.

Judge Sidener of the City Hall Police Court sentenced Joseph O'Brien, who witnesses said was a chronic wife beater, to pay a fine of $50, Tuesday morning. O'Brien will spend 106 days in the workhouse. He was released from the institution three weeks ago, having served out a fine on a similar charge. O'Brien was arrested by Officer Kennedy on the 29th of April, but owing to the illness of her child, Mrs. O'Brian was unable to appear against him and the case was continued. The child died Sunday and Mrs. O'Brien testified against her husband Tuesday.

Tams Bixby Has Resigned.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Tams Bixbby, acting chairman of the Dawes Commission, has resigned and probably will enter politics in Minnesota as the friend of James J. Hill.

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This Week—2500 yards Wilton Velvet Carpets at	92½c per yard

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This Week—175 Royal Wilton Rugs, size 9x12 feet, best quality	Your choice, $31.25
This Week—250 Extra Axminsters, size 30x60 in., high grade	Your choice, $3.20
This Week—160 Wool Smyrna Rugs, room sizes, good styles	Your choice, $14.85
This Week— 75 Oriental Rugs, Shirvans and Gunjes—hearth Rugs	Your choice, $12.25

CURTAINS.

This Week—500 pairs Lace Curtains, a variety of choice patterns	Your choice, $5.00
This Week—340 pairs Lace Curtains, several styles and designs	Your choice, $7.50
This Week—250 pairs Tapestry Portieres, different patterns and colorings	Your choice, $4.50
This Week—150 pairs dainty Summer Curtains—very effective	Your choice, $2.50

MATTINGS AND LINOLEUMS.

This Week—250 rolls special Jap. Mattings, this season's importations, Worth 40c, this week	27½c
This Week—175 rolls ex. Chinese Mattings, this season's importations, Worth 35c, this week	22½c
This Week—320 rolls Linoleums, choice—this season's patterns	50c, 60c and 70c per yard
This Week—235 rolls English Linoleums, extra heavy and durable	85c and $1.00 per yard

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BRET HARTE IS DEAD IN LONDON

Famous American Succumbs to Throat Trouble.

DEATH WAS NOT EXPECTED

ACHIEVED FAME BOTH AS LITTERATEUR AND DIPLOMAT.

LONDON, May 6.—Bret Harte, noted American author, who resided in Great Britain since 1880, died last night.

Mr. Harte expired suddenly at the Red House, Camberley, near Aldershot, from hemorrhage, caused by an affection of the throat.

Most of his time was spent in the country and when in London he was almost secluded, having few visitors to his rooms at Lancaster Gate and only going to the houses of a limited number of very intimate friends.

Several months ago a false report of his death was circulated in America.

Mr. Harte then appeared to be perfectly well. He laughed heartily and quoted Mark Twain's old saying about the report being greatly exaggerated.

"Except ofr a little cold," said Mr. Harte, "I have no ailments or complaints. While I am getting to be a pretty old man—pointing to snow white hair—there is life in the old dog yet," and thereon he lit a cigar so large that it would have done credit to any of his Poker Flat friends. He was hoping, he also said, to do more work, but he confessed he was growing lazy.

Francis Bret Harte, editor, litterateur and diplomat, was born at Albany, N. Y., Aug. 25, 1839. He contracted the gold fever while in his 'teens and went to California. After working in the mines and prospecting several months, he went to San Francisco, where he found employment as a newspaper reporter. The talent for writing that he had evinced while a youth soon began to develop and he became a "star" on the local staff of the paper by which he was employed.

He wrote interestingly of politics in California and thus cultivated the politicians. Through these acquaintances, he secured the appointment as secretary of the branch mint at San Francisco when 25 years old. He remained in that capacity four years, after which he resumed his newspaper work, this time as an editorial writer and critic. In 1870 he was appointed editor of the Overland Monthly of New York, with which magazine he maintained his connection until 1878, when he was appointed United States consul at Crefield, Germany. In 1880 he was transferred to Glasgow, Scotland, of which post he was in charge until 1885.

After his retirement from the consular service he took up his residence in London, where he resided until his death, devoting his time to writing fiction. He continued to produce western tales, but, in the opinion of many critics, his far removal from their scenes deprived them of the old flavor.

Mr. Harte achieved distinction both as a writer of verse and fiction. His best-known poem, which, however, is not his best one, is "The Heathen Chinee." His tales of the mining camps of California rank high among American literture creations. His chief works, in the order of their production, are: "The Heathen Chinee," 1869; "Luck of Roaring Camp," his best-known story, 1870; Poems, 1870; Poems, 1871; East and West Poems, 1871; "Mrs. Skagg's Husband," 1872; "Echoes of the Foothills," 1874; "Tales of the Argonauts," 1875; "Gabriel Conroy" and "Two Men of Sandy Bar," 1876; "Thankful Blossom," 1877; "Story of a Mine" and "Drift From Two Shores," 1878, "The Twins of the Table Mountain and Other Stories," 1879; "Flip" and "Found at Blazing Star," 1882; "In the Carquinez Woods," 1883; "On the Frontier," 1884; "By Shore and Sedge" and "Maruja," 1885; "Snowbound at Eagle's" and "The Queen of the Pirate Isle," 1886; "A Millionaire of Rough and Ready," "Devil's Ford" and "The Crusade of the Excelsior," 1887; "A Phyllis of the Sierras," "Drift From Redwood Camp," and "The Argonauts of North Liberty," 1888; "Cressy" and "The Heritage of Dedlow Marsh," 1889; "A Waif of the Plains" and "A Ward of the Golden Gate," 1890; "A Sappho of Green Springs" and "Sally Dows," 1893; "Busy," 1893; "Three Partners," 1897; "Tales of Trail and Town," 1898; "Stories in Light and Shadow," 1898; "Mr. Jack Hamlin's Meditation," 1899; "From Sandhill to Pine," 1900.

KRATZ MAY LOSE BY NEW TREATY

Mr. Folk Talks on Mexican Reciprocity.

BOODLER'S LAWYER ARRIVES

THOMAS F. FAUNTLEROY HAS A TALK WITH THE FUGITIVE.

Wires Are Being Kept Hot Between Guadalajara and St. Louis—Future Plans Secret.

Circuit Attorney Folk, when shown a dispatch from the Post-Dispatch staff correspondent in Guadalajara to the effect that Chief Desmond's counsel in that city had advised him that nothing further could be done toward delivering Boodler Kratz into his hands, said that it is now up to the United States government to propose a treaty with Mexico which will include bribery in the extraditable offenses.

The circuit attorney said that if our government would make this proposition—and such a request is to be made upon it at once by Missouri—it would amount practically to a promise of reciprocity, which the Mexican government requires before it will deliver Kratz to our officers.

Mr. Folk expressed the opinion that if the state department would propose such a treaty to Mexico that government would deliver the fugitive. This is what the national authorities have thus far refused to do.

Mr. Folk stated that Chief Desmond had employed counsel in Mexico at the instance of Gov. Dockery and himself, being instructed to fortify himself with a knowledge of Mexican laws sufficient to prevent him from taking any action which might violate the laws of that country.

Special from a Post-Dispatch Staff Correspondent.

GUADALAJARA, Mexico, May 6.—Chief of Detectives Desmond of St. Louis has been informed by his own attorney that he cannot arrest Boodler Kratz and return with him to St. Louis.

Chief Desmond, while he took this legal announcement greatly to heart, has evidently not given up all hope of landing his man in Missouri.

What his plans may be he is keeping to himself.

He has kept the wires hot between here and St. Louis since his lawyer's positive statement and is in almost constant communication with the local chief of police.

Kratz remains in close seclusion at his hotel and no one but his counsel is permitted to see him.

Thomas T. Fauntleroy of St. Louis arrived here last night and immediately went to Kratz's hotel, where he had a lengthy conference with the fugitive.

Lawyer Fauntleroy assisted in the defense of Kratz when he was arraigned before Judge Ryan on a charge of bribery.

Mr. Fauntleroy refused to discuss his visit here or to disclose any of his or Kratz's plans.

Judge Thomas B. Harvey, who was associated with Thomas T. Fauntleroy in defending Kratz, says that he does not know the real object of Fauntleroy's trip to Guadalajara, but understands that it was taken at the urgent request of a number of Kratz's friends.

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Mrs. Lizzie Mosely Honored.

Mrs. Lizzie Mosely, state deputy of the Tribe of Pocahontas of East St. Louis, is in Peoria attending the great council of the state of Illinois. Mrs. Mosely was escorted to the depot by her whole degree team. Just previous to her departure she and her degree team organized the Tribe of Pocahontas in Belleville, where a banquet was served in their honor. At the banquet Mrs. Mosely was given a large bouquet of American beauties and ferns.

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Elaborate Arrangements Are Making by the Ladies of Belleville for the Event

The ladies of the different churches and clubs in Belleville met Monday night at the building of the Young Men's Christian Association and arranged to give a grand lawn festival on the grounds of the association on Tuesday, June 3.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. James Quigley. Mrs. Robert Waugh acted as secretary.

Reception—Mmes. J. A. Gallaher, C. D. Shumard, E. J. Brownson, William Schleuter, F. L. Mahle, L. B. Richards, Wm. Winkelmann, S. P. Hyde, M. W. Weir, Lee Harrison, Frank McConaughy.

Entertainment—Mmes. George Harvey, C. W. Harrison and Miss Nellie Branch.

Decorations—Misses Maggie Gunn, Alice Miller, Garner and Maud and Alice Sikkema.

Refreshments—Mmes. H. H. Sikkema, Edward Rogers, E. W. Guy, George Hippard, Misses Mary Gunn and Bertha Ropiequet.

Purchasing—Mmes. D. B. Heller, Wm. Heinzelmann, John Smith and James Quigley.

The following officers were elected by the Permanent Ladies' Auxiliary: President, Mrs. George Harvey; vice-president, Mrs. H. H. Sikkema; secretary, Mrs. R. W. Ropiequet; treasurer, Miss Winona Brownson; advisory board, Mrs. William Heinzelmann, Mrs. D. B. Heller, Mrs. James Quigley, Mrs. John Smith, Mrs. Mary Gunn and Miss Annie Brenner.

Wedding Rings (Solid Gold). [illegible]

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DEATHS.

ASHMAN—On Tuesday, May 6, at 10 a. m., Ellen Burke Ashman, beloved wife of Edward Ashman, daughter of Daniel and the late Rose Burke, and sister of Mary, Rose and Maggie Burke.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

BIRNEY—After a short illness, on Tuesday, May 6, 1902, at 7 o'clock a. m., Henry T. Birney, beloved husband of Katie Fox Birney.

The funeral will take place from residence of his father-in-law, Jeremiah Fox, 2713 Clark avenue, to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Due notice of time will be given.

DEMPSEY—Entered into rest on Sunday, May 4, 1902, at 4:45 p. m., after a lingering illness, Thomas P. Dempsey, beloved son of Mrs. Elizabeth Dempsey and the late Robert E. Dempsey, and brother of John J., Robert P., Edward H., Mrs. Mary E. Joyce (nee Dempsey), Mrs. Anna M. Ackfeld (nee Dempsey), aged 36 years.

Funeral will take place Wednesday, May 7, at 9 a. m., from the family residence, 1639 Old Manchester road, to St. Cronan's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

Deceased was a member of Tower Grove Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W.

New York papers please copy.

EGGER—Theodore Egger, at the home of his brother, George E. Egger, 3016 Lulu avenue, on May 5, 1902, of pneumonia, aged 24 years.

Funeral at 6:30 p. m., May 6, to Union Station. Burial at Miltonsburg, O.

GRAVLIN—On Sunday, May 4, at 11:50 p. m., Joseph Gravlin, beloved husband of Marguerite Gravlin (nee Moran).

Funeral from family residence, 2631 Little Market street, Wednesday, May 7, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

KRUEGER—On Tuesday, May 6, 1902, at 7:50 a. m., Louise Krueger (nee Rohlfing), dearly beloved wife of E. A. Krueger, after a short illness, aged 26 years 6 months 5 days.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

LEIGH—Suddenly, at San Francisco, Cal., May 4, 1902, Lois Atherton Leigh, in her 13th year, daughter of Edward B. and Clara Furness Leigh.

Interment at St. Louis. Due notice of funeral will be given.

LEUCHTMANN—On Monday, May 5, at 5:10 p. m., after a brief illness, William Leuchtmann, aged 50 years and 8 months.

Funeral will take place on Wednesday, May 7, at 2 p. m., from the residence of Mrs. Julia Leuchtmann, 1802 South Broadway.

MUELLER—On Monday, May 5, 1902, at 12:30 p. m., Henry Mueller, dear beloved husband of Amelia Mueller (nee Vogt), and dear beloved father of Hy Mueller, Jr., Elizabeth Becker, Magdelena Robert, Anna Obert (nee Mueller), Catharine and Anton Mueller, Charley, Theodore and Hy Vogt, and beloved father-in-law of Katharine Mueller (nee Weick), William J. Robert, L. Obert, Jr., and Bertha, Emma and Minnie Vogt, after a severe illness, aged [illegible] years and 9 months.

Funeral Thursday, May 8, at 1:30 p. m. sharp, from family residence, 329 Sidney street. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

O'NEIL—At St. John's Hospital, Monday, May 5, at 2 a. m., Mary O'Neil, aged 86 years, mother of John J. O'Neil, Mrs. Thomas J. Rowe and Mrs. Katherine Brazier.

Funeral from St. Francis Xavier's Church, Grand and Lindell avenues, Wednesday at 9 a. m.

O'LEARY—On Monday, May 5, at 1:10 p. m., Dennis O'Leary, the beloved husband of Johanna O'Leary.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, 2341 Geraldine avenue, on Wednesday, May 7, at 9 a. m., to the Lady of Mount Carmel Church (Baden), thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

PERRY—On Monday morning, May 5, 1902, Grace Meyers Perry, beloved daughter of A. C. and Mary B. Perry (nee Ball), after a brief illness, aged 4 years 9 months.

Funeral Wednesday, May 7, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 4237A North Market street. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Concert at Negro Church.

Colored people will give a concert at Old Union Church Tuesday evening. There will be singing and a drill of the U. R. K. P., the band assisting.

The "Katy" Oil Company [illegible]

THE MEAT QUESTION AND ITS SOLUTION

"For every evil under the sun, there is a remedy, or there is none;
If there is one, try to find it; if there isn't, never mind it."

The people become aroused, when they think a great injustice has been done.

They seek a remedy, and they generally find one.

The agitation of the meat question is just now uppermost in the minds of the people.

At first, they thought it necessary to denounce the Meat Men.

On second consideration, they began to think that perhaps an advance in the prices of meat was a good thing after all.

It is an old saying—and a true one—that every evil has its accompanying blessing.

With the prices of meats advanced, the habit of meat eating is diminishing.

This means the upbuilding of the health of the people, for it is a scientifically known fact that our excessive meat eating endangers our health.

Prof. Atwater, the highest American authority on food, says: "You should eat less meat."

The New York Times utters a profound truth when it says, "A consensus of medical opinion would show that conditions inducing the average American to eat less meat would be beneficial, rather than hurtful, in its influence upon the public health, especially in summer."

Presto: This is the blessing in disguise.

Maybe the high price of meat is doing a greater thing for humanity than anybody imagines.

At any rate, the high prices have made people think, and their thoughts are turning to a substitute for meat.

Quaker Oats is the substitute for meat, which has in one package, at a cost of 10c., more nutriment than a piece of meat that costs $1.00.

Quaker Oats is an absolutely natural food, and, for breakfast at least, no other food is needed for complete bodily nourishment.

It puts its whole strength straight into your system.

Eat Less Meat and More

Quaker Oats

LOTTERY KING SENT TO PRISON

L. J. Tenant Gets a $2500 Fine.

A SIX-MONTHS SENTENCE, TOO

REPRESENTED MEXICAN LOTTERY AND DID BIG BUSINESS.

Edict Has Gone Forth That the Lottery Agents Must Leave St. Louis at Once.

Notice has been served by Judge Elmer B. Adams of the United States district court that lottery agents must leave St. Louis.

The order went into effect Tuesday morning and the first one to depart is Samuel J. Tennant, who was fined $2500 and sentenced to six months in jail for selling lottery tickets.

Tennant, it is charged, had not only misused the mails, but to evade this violation of the statutes, went from place to place with the tickets, thus acing as a comon carrier and infringing on the laws of the Interstate Coerce colssion.

He pleaded guilty. Ex-Gov. Charles P. Johnson, who was retained to defend him, appealed to the court for clemency.

Judge Adams called up Chief Postoffice Inspector Dice and Inspector Bunsen.

Mr. Dice told the court that Tennant's business was conducted on rather elaborate scale; that at a firm on Vine street he had printed 4000 lottery tickets and had been so engaged for the last two or three years.

"This," said the court in passing sentence, "is not only an offense against decency and morality, but it is a serious violation of the laws of the United tSates. St. Louis cannot tolerate the lottery agent.

"This defendant, I believe, needs more punishment than money. I will sentence him to six months in the Montgomery City jail and fine him $500 each on count 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 of the indictment, and order that he stand committed until all fines are paid."

Tennant represented the Mexican National Lottery.

Sterling P. Ragsdale, a traveling salesman for the J. B. Sickles Saddlery Co., was fined $250 by Judge Adams for sending an improper letter through the mails.

"I did it, your honor," said Ragedale, "to prevent J. H. Shepard marrying a woman whom I did not think he should marry."

Ragsdale pleaded guilty and stated to the court that he wrote the communication and then consulted a lawyer before sending it.

The letter was addressed to J. H. Shepard, president of the Tontine Loan and Security Co.

According to Ragsdale's statement to Judge Adams, Shepard was engaged to a Miss Harrington, now residing on Leonard avenue.

Ragsdale's letter reflected on her character and Mr. Shepard promptly turned the letter over to the postal authorities.

Subsequently Mrs. Shepard instituted suit for divorce.

Hugo Sandbeck of 221 South Broadway was sentenced to 30 days in jail by Judge Adams Tuesday, attributed his misfortune to an overdose of quinine.

He was charged with having addressed a postal card to his employe saying he did not intend to go back to work and using rather intelligent language to express his contempt for his forme hie.

He got thirty days in the Ironton jail.

Milton Cooper received a two years' penitentiary sentence for raising a $1 bill to a ten.

He told a hard-luck story and narrated a few plausible circumstances by way of denying his offense, but the court was skeptical.

GRANITE CITY NEWS.

The City Council met in regular session at the City Hall Monday evening and adjourned until this Tuesday evening. Three members will retire at this meeting for the incoming members recently elected.

A mass meeting will be held by the representative citizens of Granite City Wednesday evening at Rosenberg's Hall for the purpose of considering the advisibality of holding a street fair in Granite City in August.

The Granite City & St. Louis Railway Co. is making preparations for the completition of the street car line from the Five-Mile House to Moellenbrock's Grove, Horseshoe lake.

Plans are being prepared for the construction of a parsonage adjoining St. Joseph's parochial school. The new building will be used as a convent for the Sisters who take charge of the parish school.

The Southern Illinois Construction Co. has commenced workin the new Park M. E. Church at a contract price of $13,800.

George Kalbfleisch of near Glen Carbon was seriously injured Monday afternoon while driving to his farm. The horses became frightened and he was thrown beneath the wheels of the wagon. The wheels passed over his head and soulders. He was picked up and taken to his home in an unconscious condition.

The local capitalists of the tri-cities are completing arrangements for the construction of an ice plant with a capacity of 20 tons daily. The saloonkeepers of the cities are the principal stockholders.

Mrs. J. H. Willis is recovering from an attack of pleurisy.

The hot mills of the National Enameling and Stampang Co. resumed operations Monday after a week's shutdown, which resulted from the tin openers being behind in their work.

A KNOCK-OUT DROP VICTIM

Stranger Gave the Drug to a Sycamore Street Bartender and Robbed the Money Drawer.

"Knockout drops" were administered to Charles Reed, the bartender at the saloon of Robert Hill on Sycamore street, near the Louisville & Nashville freight depot in Belleville Monday afternoon in broad daylight and the money drawer was robbed.

Reid was alone in the saloon when a stranger entered. He called for drink and stranger produced a small bottle from his pocket. He said it contained a wine of his own manufacture and invited Reid to taste it. Reid did so and almost immediately became unconscious. The man took all the money there was in the drawer, between $6 and $8, and left.

Reid was found unconscious behind the bar by some linemen who came in for a drink.

Dr. West, Jr., after working over Reid for an hour, brought him back to consciousness and he told what had occurred.

He gave a good description of the man, but Officer Klamm has not discovered any clew to his identity yet.

Drunkards Easily Cured.

Mrs. Susan Clapper, of the W. C. T. U., Saved Her Husband From a Drunkard's Grave.

Mrs. Susan Claper, Sec. W. C. T. U.

A simple, tasteless and odorless remedy to be given in the coffee or food has cured thousands of the drink habit. Anyone can give this marvelous remedy in their own home and the drunkard need never know it.

Mrs. Clapper was the wife of a drunkard. She used Golden Specific and this is what she says about it: "I thought my husband a hopeless drunkard. I prayed and wept until finally it seemed that your advertisement came in answer to my prayers. I gave the medicine in his coffee. The next day he came home and said, 'Susan, I don't know what has come over me. I hate the sight of liquor and I am never going to drink it again.'"

Dr. J. W. Haines, 3370 Glenn Bldg., Cincinnati, Ohio, will send a free trial package to all who write in order that they can see for themselves that it can be given secretly and that it will positively cure.

Full-sized boxes of Golden Specific are for sale in St. Louis by Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Sixth and Washington avenue.

THE NEWEST ECONOMY EVENT OF THE YEAR AT

THE MEYER STORE

COR. BROADWAY & WASHINGTON.

WALL PAPER.
The busiest spot in all St. Louis.
2c roll for choice of complete combinations.
5c roll for best quality white blanks, borders and ceilings to match.
WE TRIM PAPER FREE.

WALL PAPER.
Heavy buying brings the price to a ridiculous point.
2c roll choice complete combinations.
8c roll for unlimited assortments of parlor and dining rooms.
WE TRIM PAPER FREE.

34 NEW AND STIRRING UNDER-PRICE OFFERS ARE ANNOUNCED FOR TOMORROW'S SELLING

WOVEN TISSUES, 10c YARD

32-inch Woven Tissues—checks, plaids and stripes—thinner and finer than madras or gingham.

69c SHIRT SALE
JUST AT THE MAIN ENTRANCE.

Men's Summer Negligee Shirts that were made to sell at $1.00 and $1.50, but in broken lots. In sizes 14, 14½ and 15 only.

UMBRELLAS, $2.50—FOR WOMEN

The handles alone costing from $2 to $5 at any umbrella counter. This lot means only our portion of what the syndicate bought. They come in pure silk and linen and silk—in black and colored serge, taffeta, English twill—and there's a considerable saving on every umbrella.

MEN'S "VICEROY" SHOES, $2.69
THE THREE-FIFTY SORT.

Made by skilled workmen and from the best guaranteed stock—many styles in high and low cuts to choose from—they're in velour calf, box calf, vici kid and patent colt.

27-INCH BIRDEYE, 25c PIECE

5-yard pieces of 27-inch Birdeye.

25c WOMEN'S HOSIERY SPECIAL

They only came in this morning from one of our city importers—at just about the cost of duty only. Fancy imported hose for women, worth 50c to 75c pair.

SMYRNA RUGS, 95c

30 inches wide, 60 inches long—exact reproductions of Persian and Oriental Rugs—value $2.00.

WOMEN'S STREET HATS, 49c

Several hundred in the lot—former prices $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50—new and stylish, indeed.

26-INCH TISSUE, 25c

Silk and Linen Tissue in the natural linen shade.

COLORED JAP SILKS, 29c

In every color you'll want—and Silks that sell at fifty cents all over

SENSATIONAL WRAPPERS 67c

They're nicely made in red, blue, black and white Percale, flounce skirts and epaulets—worth $1. Floor D.

MEN'S $2 PANTS, 95c

In all wool, in fast colors, fit for dress pants—well made, good patterns, superb in fit.

39c CHILDREN'S SCHOOL HATS

The wide brim kind—worth 75c to 98c—they'll go quick, too.

LONG CLOTH, 69c PIECE

12-yard pieces of English Long Cloth—$1.00 value.

3-FOLD SCREENS, 59c

Five feet high and filled with silkoline.

49c COUTILLE CORSETS

Straight front, well boned, all sizes, worth $1.50.

LADIES' GOWNS, 49c

Of good Muslin, Empire style V neck, high neck, lace, embroidery, hemstitched and tucked yokes, $1.00 sort.

LADIES' WRAPPERS, 47c

They come in Colored Lawn, Blue and White Calico, Red and White Calico, Indigo Calico—flounce skirt with fancy beading trimmed—worth seventy-five.

$3.00 BOYS' SUITS, $1.45.

The greatest bargain ever offered—Norfolks, vestee or double-breasted—strictly all wool material—stylish cut—well trimmed. Floor B.

RIBBONS FOR WEDNESDAY

10 yards Velvet Ribbon with a satin facing—25c.
10 yards Linen Back Velvet Ribbon—6c.
10 yards Wash Ribbon—all colors—21c.
10 yards Baby Ribbon—all-silk—8c.

260 PAIRS SCOTCH LACE AND CABLE NET CURTAINS

3¼ yards long, 60 inches wide—Renaissance, Irish Point and Brussels patterns—$1.95 a pair—regular value $2.50 to $3 50.

EXTRAORDINARY SHOES, 98c

You can pick from 418 pairs of shoes for ladies that were made up to sell for two dollars and two dollars and a half. There are not a great many of any one kind, but there are a great many kinds, Vici Kid, Dongola, heavy soles, flexible soles, light soles, Oxfords and button and laced. Shoes in almost every shape and style shoe you see and know to be two dollar kinds. It's a sale of all the small lots from our own new stock.

FOULARDS, WEDNESDAY, 75c

23 inches wide in all silk and satin—the usual $1.00 and $1.25 offerings to go at seventy-five cents.

SOLID CHAMBRAY WAISTS, 19c.

Waists in Red, Blue, Pink, Lilac, with band collar and cuffs. Also Lawn Waists in stripes and dots.

WHITE DIMITY, 5c

29-inch white Dimity, fine sheer cloth, 10c and 12½c quality, in remnants.

$5 LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS

Many styles; formerly they were $10.00.

PYROGRAPHY OUTFITS, $2.95

A Special Offer in outfits for burning wood containing platinum Burner, alcohol lamp, benzine bottle and hand bellows with free lessons in burning.

MOSQUITO CANOPIES FOR 95c

ALL WOOL CHALLIE, 39c

in the best imported quality. sell for 75c—with many new patterns—for this sale.

DOTTED SWISS MULLS, 10c YARD

This season's most desirable fabrics—all new and pretty patterns; 15c value.

BOYS' SUITS, $2.95

In Norfolk, Vestee and Blouse, worth $4 and $5.

BOYS' SHIRTS AND WAISTS, 49c

Nicely made in Percale and Madras.

MEN'S HATS, $1.45—WORTH $2.50

In all styles and in colors and black.

29c LADIES' UNION SUITS

The equal of any 50c goods in St. Louis.

10c LADIES' SAMPLE VESTS

All kinds and styles; worth up to 25c.

LADIES' SILK GLOVES, 50c

They're scarce just now—they come double-tipped fingers.

49c BEADED BAGS

Extra values; worth one dollar apiece.

25c NECKWEAR—WORTH 50c

New summer styles, in all shapes.

$1.98 SHIRT WAIST SUITS

For ladies, in imported Percale and made with ruffled skirts.

ALL-SILK FOULARD COSTUMES, $10

In a variety of colors; worth $18.50.

BAMBOO PORCH CURTAINS

Keep out the sun—let in the air—all sizes—prices from 95c to $1.50.

GRAY BRILLIANT WAISTS, 39c

Made in the latest fashion. White Lawn Waists—tucked all over—pearl buttons.

WALKING HATS, $1.98

"New York Made" and very swell, indeed, worth from $3.50 to $6 each.

79c MUSLIN SKIRTS

With deep ruffle 3 rows of insertion, tucks and lace flounce, also Dutch ruffle, worth $1.50.

CHILDREN'S HATS, 39c

Not one worth less than a dollar. Some straw with mull trimmings, others mull with lace and ribbon trimmings.

A CLIMAX IN IRISH LACES, 73c

Imported by us from Ireland; hand crochet.

$1.45 COOL PERCALE SUITS

In neat colored stripes for women.

FANCY LACE GALONS, $1.98

The kind that sells at $2.98—a reduction.

PURE FOOD GROCERY NOTES.

Important items from the only hygienically fitted grocery store in the entire Southwest. Every item almost under cover—protected from dust and dirt. Come in tomorrow and see the improvements on the "old time" grocery store—Floor A.

9c per package for Shredded Wheat Biscuit.

10c for 3 packages Uneeda Biscuits.

15c for 2 pkgs. Kennedy's Oatmeal Crackers.
5c for 2-lb. can Baked Pork and Beans.
11c for 3-lb. can Green Gage Plums, in heavy syrup.
10c per dozen for Fancy California Lemons.
4c per lb. for Choice Santa Clara Prunes.
3c per cake for Baker's Justice Sweet Chocolate.
25c for 3 cans Front Rank Tomatoes.
7c for 2-lb. pkg. Hawkeye Rolled Oats.
7c for large roll (1000 sheets) Toilet Paper.
10c for 3 tins American Oil Sardines.
22c for half-pint bottle L. & P. Worcestershire Sauce.
12c per dozen for large Jumbo Pickles.
70c for 1-gal. jug choice California Port.
60c per bottle for Old Nelson Co. Whisky.

We Want to See If You Take This Newspaper

and what is more to the point, if you have read this advertisement, for if you have we know well where it will land you!

ST. LOUIS GREATEST STORE
CRAWFORD'S
A CITY OF SIGHTS

$3.00 Ladies' Oxfords for $1.98.

A strong statement, but we "can deliver the goods." And no out-of-date broken size lot either, but the newest Spring creations in finest Vici Kid and Patent Leather, with high Louis XV. heels if you want them. Just the styles that are selling around town at $3.00 we give you here in unlimited quantities in all sizes, at.......... **$1.98**

Our $4.50 Ready-to-Wear and Trimmed Hats, this week for..........	$2.25
Our $10.50 and $8.50 Trimmed and Pattern Hats, this week for..........	$5.25
Our 75c Ladies' Imported French Lisle Thread Hose, plain and drop stitch, this week..........	29c
Our 25c Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Fine Cotton Vests, low neck, sleeveless and wing sleeve, this week..........	13c
Our 15c Fine Irish Dimity and Batiste Cords, in white and colored grounds, extra value, for this week..........	9c
Our 45c Imported French Silk Mousseline, in all the popular shades, this week..........	22c
Our 25c pure Grass Linen, with white hair line stripe, this week..........	9c
Our 30c Leno Lawn, with mercerized satin stripe, this week..........	16c
15c, 20c and 25c Laces, mixed lot, all kinds, Torchon, Medici, Point de Paris, Valenciennes, black silk Chantilly laces and bands, etc.—choice of big table full at, a yard..........	10c
25c, 35c and 50c Ladies' Neckwear, all kinds, some mussed and slightly soiled, choice balance of the week at, each..........	10c
5c and 7½c Cambric Embroidery from 1½ to 3 inches, fine and showy patterns, for the rest of this week, a yard..........	3c
25c Lace Edge and Embroidered Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled, while they last, each..........	5c
Our 50c bleached satin finish Table Damask, 66 in. wide, floral designs for this week, yard..........	29c
Our 18c bleached Huck Towel, plain white and red borders, size 20x46 inches, for this week, each..........	9c
One case of our regular 9c quality, full yard wide, Bleached Muslin, no dressing, for this week at, a yard..........	5c
Our regular 12½c quality fine Cambric Muslin, for this week at, a yard..........	7½c
Our $2.50 black and white and blue and white polka dot Duck Dress Skirts, made with two ruffles, trimmed with white braid, this week only..........	$1.18
Our $7.50 new box pleated Kilt Skirt—colors gray, brown and Oxford, this week..........	$4.25
Our $2.25 White Lawn mbroidered and Tucked Waists, this week only..........	98c
Our 85c Ruffled Scrim Curtains—for this week, pair..........	45c
Our $2.00 Scotch Lace Curtains, 3½ yards—for this week, pair..........	98c
Our 35c Opaque Window Shades, 3x6, all complete—for this week, each..........	16c
Our $1.00 yard Velvet Carpet, for rooms, halls or stair, for..........	59c
Our $15.00 Sideboards, with bevel edge mirrors, for..........	$9.50
Our 10c quality of Lawn and Batiste, in from 25 to 30 different styles—this week..........	5c
Our 20c line of fine 32-inch Printed Madras—for this week..........	12½c
Over 500 Up-to-Date Suits almost given away this week. Our $4.50 and $5.00 Suits, for this week..........	$2.50

Take your choice in boys' 2-piece double-breasted suits, boys' sailor blouse suits with fancy braid trimming, boys' nobby 3-piece vestee suits, boys' Norfolk style, some in serges, worsteds and cheviots—some of these suits have sold for $4.50 and $5.00.

Ball and bat with every suit.

Artistic Pianos, sensibly sold at this store. We save you the commissions paid to music teachers, traveling salesman's expense, beside the $85 to $100 that it costs exclusive piano dealers to sell a piano. Our bargains this week—

Pianos—Regular dealers' price $250.00—Our price..........	$147.00
Pianos—Regular dealers' price $275 to $300 and $350—Our price $200, $189 and..........	$179.00
$300, $350, $400 and $500 Pianos—at $290, $250, $275 and..........	$225.00

One price, and that price marked in plain figures. Terms, $10.00 cash and the balance easy monthly or weekly payments.

D. CRAWFORD & CO., Washington Av. and 6th St.

BELLEVILLE'S NEW COUNCIL

Mayor Hay Postponed Making His Appointments—Standing Committees Are Named.

The new City Council of eBlleville held its first meeting oMnday night. All the new members were seated with little ceremony.

Mayor Hay announced that he had not fully made up his mind in reference to some appointments, and would defer making them until the next meeting.

Action was taken which will probably lead to the settlement of the vexatious water question.

A proposition from the Good Government Association was read by Mayor Hay, proposing that the dispute between the city and the water company be submitted to arbitration before the officials and directors of the league, the city to be represented by officials and aldermen and the water company by officials and attorneys. After a long discussio nit was decided to take this course if the water company would agree.

Mayor Hay announced the following standing committees for the ensuin year:

Railroads—Lami, Stephani and Seib.
Light—Taylor, Schnipper and Knebelkamp.
Finance—Stephani, Winter and Scnipper.
Improvements—George Gruenewald, Knebelkamp and Yung.
Judiciary—Schnipper, Winter and Halstead.
License—Halstead, Kuni and George Gruenewald.
Ordinances—Schnipper, Stephani and Taylor.
Streets and grades—Winter, Seib, Lami, Taylor, Yung, Tiemann and Stephani.
Marshal's report—Joseph Gruenewald, Yung and Lami.
Clerk's report—Tiemann, Kuni and George Gruenewald.
Justice of the peace—Herr, Joseph Gruenewald and Lami.
Claims—Kuni, Seib and George Gruenewald.
Fire and water—Knebelkamp, Kuni and Seib.
Police—Halstead, Schnipper, Winter and Joseph Gruenewald.
Weigher and market master—Yung, Joseph Gruenewald and Tiemann.
Cemetery—Herr, Halstead and George Gruenewald.

INDICTED HER FOR PERJURY

Mrs. Mary Adamson of Dewey Station Charged With Having Sworn Falsely.

The grandjury of St. Clair County has returned an indictment against Mrs. Mary Adamson of Dewey Station, charging her with perjury. It grows out of the trial recently of Mrs. Adamson and her daughter, Mrs. Weinert, and Florence Grand, on the charge of having disturbed the peace on a Suburban electric car.

The women were first tried at East St. Louis and there was a hung jury. There was later another hearing before Justice Wangelin at Belleville. In the meantime, a negro by the name of George Evans had been discovered, who gave evidence favorable to the ladies.

Mrs. Adamson swore that the negro was on the car, but none of the other witnesses could remember having seen a negro on the car and two men were positive that they had the seat which the negro claimed to have occupied.

The "Katy" Oil Company

Will pay your expenses to and from Beaumont if you are an investor and want to see the oil field and the Katy's holdings. Office, 208 Rialto building. Write for particulars.

VENICE NEWC.

Postmaster E. W. Hilker is seriously ill at his home in Madison from appendicitis and his chances for recovery very doubtful. An operation was to have been performed Tuesday, but he was found too weak to undergo it.

Squire John Fechte was an East St. Louis business visitor Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Charles aMnning left Tuesday morning for her home in St. Charles, Mo., after a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. George House.

The Southern Illinois Railway Co. has a force of men constructing a bridge across the slough north of the Merchants' Bridge.

A delegation from St. Mark's parish is making preparations to participate in the Catholic parade in Granite City Sunday at the dedication of St. Joseph's Church.

BLOOD POISON

Primary, Secondary or Tertiary (Syphilitic) Blood Poison permanently cured in 15 to 35 days. You can be treated at home for the same price under same guaranty. If you prefer to come here we will contract to pay railroad fare and hotel bills, and no charge if we fail to cure. If you have taken mercury, iodide potash, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in mouth, sore throat, pimples, copper colored spots, ulcers on any part of the body, hair or eyebrows falling out, it is this Secondary BLOOD POISON that we guarantee to cure. We solicit the most obstinate cases and challenge the world for a case we cannot cure. This disease has always baffled the skill of the most eminent physicians. $500,000 capital behind our unconditional guaranty. Absolute proofs and 100-page book sent sealed. No branch offices. Use full address as follows:

COOK REMEDY COMPANY,
1537 Masonic Temple, CHICAGO, ILL.

CHILD-WIFE IN DETENTION WARD

DAUGHTER OF A CLERGYMAN HELD FOR OBSERVATION.

Millie Stephens, a young girl who says that she is the daughter of Rev. J. W. Stephens, a Baptist minister who died 20 years ago, is a prisoner in the detention ward at the City Hospital, held for observation.

She was sent to the hospital from the workhouse, where she had been confined since April 9, when Judge Wislizenus fined her $10 for resisting an officer.

She is a woman of some refinement who has seen much misery in her brief life. She was married at the age of 12 years, and lived with her husband, the son of a prosperous farmer at Farmington, Mo., for two years.

The child-wife fancied that her husband was neglecting her. She left him and went to Paris, Tex.

She waited for him to write and ask her to come back to their Missouri home. The letter never came.

The woman secured work as a servant and since them her life has been replete with misery.

She talks rationally.

MARRIAGES BIRTHS, DEATHS

Marriage Licenses

William Wallace	1320 Gay st
Rebecca A. Lane	1810 Pine st
Chas. McDonald	East St. Louis
Annie Grant	2623 N. Grand av
Wm. B. Nevin	Dayton, O
Mary E. Clevenger	Colorado Springs, Colo
Wm. C. Irwin	Pleasant Plains, Ill
Ida J. Mitchell	4544 West Morgan st
Wm. Cordell	901 Biddle st
Bessie Lewis	Florissant, Mo
Chas. Schmidt	4837 N. Broadway
Frances Mueller	2600 Blair av

Births Recorded.

F. and D. Green, 321 Garrison; boy.
F. and M. Lold, 1002 Langboro; boy.
F. and M. Depenbrock, 113 North Twelfth; boy.
T. and D. Siston, 906 Sarah; boy.
C. and G. Payne, 4401 Clayton; boy.
C. and M. Haefmann, 5732 Cote Brilliante; girl.
J. and W. Farlow, 346 Chouteau; girl.
J. and A. Sullivan, 501 Colery; girl.
L. and M. Cash, 1401 East Grand; girl.

Burial Certificates.

Marie Findal Cash, 23, 1403 East Grand; exhaustion.
Susie Monteville, 36, Poorhouse; phthisis.
Emily Suellier, 70, 1600 North Third; nephritis.
Tynil Jefferson, 6, 1010½ Minnesota; whooping cough.

All stomach and bowel troubles relieved at once by Sulphogen. 1824 Olive street.

BROOKLYN MAYOR INDICTED

Village Club and Street Commissioner Also Under Charge of Conspiracy to Defraud.

The St. Clair County grandjury meeting at Belleville has found indictments against F. F. Vandenberg, mayor of Brooklyn; Douglas West, village clerk, and Thomas Stricklyn, street commissioner. There are four true bills. One is against all three defendants and charges conspiracy to defraud the village. There is one against Vandenberg and West on the same charge, and one against them on a charge of forming an order on the village treasurer and one charging them with malfeasance in office. The amount alleged to have been misappropriated is only about $1000.

West is in jail. Alexander Flannigan, attorney, East St. Louis, went over to Belleville to give bail for Vandenberg. Stricklyn had not been brought to Belleville at 1 o'clock.

We Make You Judge and Jury.

We don't demand a deposit. After the suit is finished if your decision is that it isn't what you want, we'll alter it until it is just what you want. If altering doesn't please you, we charge you nothing.

That's our iron-bound policy. How does it strike you?

Orders for summery clothing are coming in fast. Where's yours? Give it to us and every grain of quality, every stitch of honesty, every line of art and every turn of skill that could be put into clothing will be employed in the creation of your suit. $25 to $50 is the price range.

MacCarthy-Evans Tailoring Co.,
820 Olive St., Opp. P. O., St. Louis, Mo.

ALTON NEWS.

Judge William P. Early of Edwardsville went to Alton Monday morning to inquire into the sanity of John H. Budde, until one month ago, a prominent business man of Alton.

The members of the First Baptist Church of Alton held a meting last night and decided to make improvements on their new church. A $2000 pipe organ will be purchased and the interior of the church will be beautifully decorated.

The members of the board of education will hold a meeting in the city clerk's office Wednesday evening, and will appoint tachrs for th Alton schools for th nxt school yar.

The members of the Alton Y. M. C. A. will hold a reception in the reception rooms of the association Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson. Mr. Anderson has just assumed charge as the new secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

Lillie Quigley of the Depot Hotel complained to the police last night that Alex Johnson, a colored employe of the hotel, had stolen $23 from her pocketbook. Johnson was arrested.

It is known in railroad circles in Alton that the M., K. & T. railroad is making an effort to purchase the Alton Bridge Co.'s property in Alton and also that the same road is trying to purchase the Terminal railroad of Madison County. If this deal goes through it would shut the Wabash out of a terminal that it figures on getting through some day, via the Alton bridge. The M., K. & T. goes as far as West Alton and wants to get through into Alton, and thus have an outlet through this territory.

The quarrel between Elder Nichols and the ministers of the Alton churches is on in earnest. Rev. G. W. Shepherd replied to Elder Nichols in a sermon Sunday morning and Elder Nichols delivered his reply. The first seats of his church were filled by Elder Nichols and a company of about fifty of his disciples. Last night when Elder Nichols replied to Rev. Mr. Shepherd, on the front seat in the big tent sat Mr. Shepherd and a number of his friends.

The tenth anniversary of the Dominant Ninth Society of Alton was observed with a concert at the Spalding Auditorium last night. The soloists were Miss Elsie Ringen and Miss Jeanette McClanahan of St. Louis.

RINGLING BROS. RINGLING BROS. They are epicureans and know a good thing when they taste it, and have ordered GENEVA LITHIA WATER for table use in their private cars while in the city.

Try it and prove its virtues. It is better than "Camel's Milk," and can be had at the depot, 219 North Tenth street.

I CURE

Stricture Without the Knife or Bougie.
Contagious Blood Poison Never to Return.
Loss of Manly Vigor, No Stimulant, but Permanent.
Varicocele Without Operation and No Loss of Time.

MY BEST REFERENCE IS, NOT A DOLLAR NEED BE PAID UNTIL CURED
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I want every man afflicted with any diseases peculiar to the male sex to call on me personally, or write to me, and I will explain to him my method of curing these diseases. I invite in particular all men who have become dissatisfied with treatment elsewhere. I will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction why I can cure you permanently.

CERTAINTY OF A CURE is what you want, and I have so much confidence in my treatment that I am willing to accept your case without ONE DOLLAR IN ADVANCE.

I cure with the same guarantee of success, Nervous Debility, Piles, Kidney, Bladder and Prostatic Troubles and Rupture.

Booklet Free, "Facts for Men." Full set Symptom Blanks sent free.
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ENTRIES IN THE GARDEN CONTEST

Children Will Make St. Louis Beautiful.

PRIZES OF GOLD OFFERED

YARDS WILL BLOSSOM ALL OVER THE CITY.

Inspection Under the Auspices of the Engelmann Botanical Club, Which Will Bestow Certificates of Honor.

Children of St. Louis have undertaken to make the city beautiful. The work they do will have its effect on the attractiveness of their own homes.

Two hundred and fifty-nine children have entered the Sunday Post-Dispatch contest for three prizes offered to the children under 16 years old who shall make the prettiest gardens in their home yards.

The entries closed yesterday and now the inspection of the proposed fields of operation will be undertaken by a committee of the Englemann Botanical Club. This organization working in co-operation with the Sunday Post-Dispatch, has announced that it will give to each little gardener a certificate signed by its president, William Trelease and by Mayor Rolla Wells.

Inspection will be made at intervals throughout the season and at its close the awards of prizes will be made.

$20 in gold for the prettiest garden.

$10 in gold for the second choice.

$5 in gold for the third choice.

Only members of the contestants' families will be permitted to assist in making the garden and it is expected that the contestants will do the major part of the work. No work is to be paid for by the contestants save the preliminary spading of the yard.

Children in other cities have worked wondrous transfomations; unsightly streets becoming beautiful under their painstaking gardening, and as a permanent result such civic patriotism has been awakened that their elders have prolonged and extended the great and good work.

Following is a complete list of gardeners who are competing for the Sunday Post-Dispatch prizes:

Adams, Suzanne, 4546 Morgan street.
Adams, Marie Dupuy, 4546 Morgan street.
Abbott, John Herrick, 4140 Westminster place.
Arens, Barnard C., 3944 Castleman avenue.
Athey, Ruth C., 5838 Etzel avenue.
Broadmann, Bert, 4715 Cottage avenue.
Bischoff, Isaac, 1427 North Seventh street.
Bruce, Robbie and Myrtle, 419 South Jefferson avenue.
Brinkmann, Lee, 4748 Hammett place.
Brennan, Daniel, Jr., 4622 Olive street.
Borgmann, Emily, 1614 North Fourteenth street.
Brockstedt, Clarissa, 2220 Oregon avenue.
Babka, Richard, 2141 Geyer avenue.
Bennewitz, Viola, 3516 North Twentieth street.
Burt, George, 1613 Hickory street.
Buchanan, Bessie, 2719 Ivanhoe avenue.
Brandt, Ella, 4944 Easton avenue.
Bukert, Emma, 942 Laurel avenue.
Blemberg, Sarah, 1729 Carr street.
Barnett, Morris, 1308 Carr street.
Barclay, James, 4138 Green Lea place.
Barclay, Charlie, 4138 Green Lea place.
Boswell, Eunice, 3816 Blaine avenue.
Bafuno, Clara, 4015 Easton avenue.
Baumberger, Richard, 3665 Cook avenue.
Cour, Claude, Jr., 5052 Page boulevard.
Collins, Byrd, 4037 Lincoln avenue.
Chamberlin, Ada, 2608 Semple avenue.
Carr, Eugene M., 518 Newstead avenue.
Cronan, Michael, 4122 Evans avenue.
Costello, Helen, 3950 Page boulevard.
Crane, Edith, 4201 Connecticut avenue.
Chappell, George A., 4118 Washington avenue.
Castles, Bertha, 1437 Coulter avenue.
Casey, Maggie, 2111 Adams street.
Costello, Thomas K., 3950 Page boulevard.
Doering, Dora, 1516 Chouteau avenue.
De Lassur, Leslie, 5098 Washington boulevard.
Dooley, Norah, 1113 South Twelfth street.
Deubach, Adele, 2630 Park avenue.
Doering, Willie, 2012 Whitnell avenue.
Dooley, Francis, 4241 Sarpy avenue.
De Veaux, Lyle C., 4952 Magnolia avenue.
Dunn, Walter, 3428 Meramec street.
Davies, Ethel Ida, 5368 Julia place.
Edwards, Mae, 4136 Hartford street.
Ecoff, Frank, 6928 Mitchell avenue.
Ethler, Julius Terry, 3005 Lambdin avenue.
Ethler, Leo C., 3005 Lambdin avenue.
Eisenberg, Sam, 1307 Carr street.
Ellebrecht, Esther, 1205 Benton street.
Fleming, James, corner Sutton and Elm avenues, Maplewood.
Fox, Myrtle, 2628 Ann avenue.
Fischer, Edward, 2831 Hartford street.
Frockel, Raymond, 3011 Salena street.
Friton, Emily, 1813 Geyer avenue.
Fernon, Marie, 2719 Walnut street.
Foster, Alfred, 2604 Washington avenue.
Foster, Charles, 2604 Washington avenue.
Faulkenhainer, Fred, 6116 Elizabeth avenue.
Fischer, Emil, 2327 Plover place.
Graham, Christine, 5145 Lindell avenue.
Gauss, Harry, 1319 Dolman street.
Graf, Hugo, 4545 North Market street.
Gurley, Leon, 3938 Shenandoah avenue.
Gossin, George, 2243 Oregon avenue.
Gieselman, Edna, 4444 Greer avenue.
Gibson, Isabel, 4344 North Market street.
Grandy, Alice, 4135 Evans avenue.
Gobel, Ruth, 1006 Grattan street.
Goldwasse, Rosie, 1524 Wash street.
Goldstein, Bessie, 1018 North Fourteenth street.
Gruene, Rosa, 2821 Dayton street.
Hetlage, Carrie, 903 La Salle street.
Haddaway, Eunice, 5911 Bartmer avenue.
Hilger, Celia, 1420 North Twelfth street.
Hamm, Charles, 2917 Hereford street.
Hinson, Harry, 4604 McCaffrey place.
Heiland, C. W., 2522 South Twelfth street.
Heffner, Louis, 3215 Texas avenue.
Halloran, Ed, 3080 Cass avenue.
Haydock, William, 5957 Cote Brilliante avenue.
Hause, Virginia, 3433 Morgan street.
Hoagland, Elias, 4408 North Nineteenth street.
Harris Hazel, 4020 Carter avenue.
Henderson, Gordon P., 1738 Weaverly place.
Hornker, Willie H. J., 4365 Beck avenue.
Hughes, Rosetta E., 3510 Caroline street.
Hughes, Chester, 3510 Caroline street.
Herbest, Gertrude, 1618 Biddle street.
Hoppel Minnie, 3730 Arkansas avenue.
Hufschmidt, Charles, 3516 Lowell street.
Hale, John Henry, 4157 Westminster pl.
Hammarstedt, Harry, 2906 Pine st.
Heilbron, Eugene Henry, 825 Manchester avenue.
Julian, Martha, 4854 Cote Brilliante avenue.
Jacobson, Epes, 5726 North Market street.
Joel, Frank, 4335 Finney avenue.
Jaques, Leon, 3057 Marcus avenue.
Jacobs, Willard, 2824 Clark avenue.
Jordan, Myrtle, 5215 Minerva avenue.
Johnson, Mabel, 2404 Elliot avenue.
Klein, Frank, 2827 Semple avenue.
Kilber, Mabel, 4230 Page boulevard.
Kilcullen, Edwin, 1119 North Compton avenue.
Kelley, Dommick, 1712 Glasgow avenue.
Kletzker, George, 4125 Shenandoah avenue.
Kohrs, Joseph, 3318 Park avenue.
Kasper, Julia, 3228 Vista avenue.
Keller, Rosa, 2851 South Jefferson avenue.
Kortum, Herman, 4447 Kossuth avenue.
Kennedy, Willie, 4414 North Nineteenth street.
Kinna, Tom, 1910 Bacon street.
Kuhn, Dora, 4289 Norfolk avenue.
Konering, Edwin, 2626 Palm street.
Kane, Irene L., 4536 Easton avenue.
Kimbell, Fordyce, 5187 Kensington avenue.
Kerber, Elfreda, 4028 North Ninth street.
Kell, Otto C., 4458 Page boulevard.
Katz, George, Edna and Betsy, 4236 Cleveland avenue.
Kauffmann, Hans, 3508 Texas avenue.
Lukens, Ambrose E., 1335 Clara avenue.
Lange, Alfred, 2711 South Jefferson avenue.
Leonard, Mamie, 2516A Hebert street.
Laser, Genevieve, 7141 Lanham avenue.
Lachler, Joseph, 3260 Regal place.
Lachler, Harry, 3260 Regal place.
Florence, Lewis, 4313 Cote Brilliante avenue.
Lynn, Grace, 4838 Evans avenue.
Lineburg, Charles, 4250 Castleman avenue.
Lewis, Lizzie, 4012 Newstead avenue.
Clyde, L. Luther, 4135A Penrose street.
Mohr, Allen, 8646 Drury Lane, Ingleside.
McAuliffe, Florence J., 4446 Cote Brilliante avenue.
Mayer, Seville, 4435 Page boulevard.
McMullen, Gay, 4305 Cook avenue.
Michel, Elmer, 4337 College avenue.
Mauerhof, Gertrude, 1527 South Broadway.
Mauerhof, Charlotte, 1527 South Broadway.
Mauerhof, Lulu, 1527 South Broadway.
Mauerhof, Adele, 1527 South Broadway.
Moore, Edith, 2923 Cass avenue.
McWay, Anna, 4728 Easton avenue.
Mulligan, Mary E., 6230 Plymouth avenue.
Munchow, Georgine, 4251 McRee avenue.
Mehling, Julius, 1210 Chouteau avenue.
Meesiecks, Lottie, 4975 Wabada avenue.
Meyer, Harry, 3051 Easton avenue.
Mathews, Ellen, 2108 North Eleventh street.
Maher, Lizzie, 5639 Wells avenue.
Marschel, Irene, 3818A Forest Park boulevard.
Madden, Harry, 2104 Clark avenue.
Niemoeller, Genevieve, 3620 Hebert street.
Niemoeller, Florence, 3620 Hebert street.
Noel, Myrtle, 5614 Clemens avenue.
Niehouse, Blanche D., 2309 North Market street.
Nagel, Roy, 4017 Peck street.
Newman, Alfred, 3128 Lafayette avenue.
Oventrop, Lena, 1921 Warren street.
O'Brien, Percy, 5322 Emily street.
O'Neill, Nora, 5362 Theodosia avenue.
O'Brien, Margery, 813 McLaran avenue.
Oppenheim, Felix, 4247A Page boulevard.
Offermann, Josie, 1522 Biddle street.
Owens, Samuel C., 4420A Easton avenue.
Ojemann, Willie, 2623 Sullivan avenue.
Ostrander, Mae, 3950 Cottage avenue.
Pfeiffer, Fred, 4465 Papin street.
Pullis, Harold, 1738 Waverly place.
Pell, Blanche, 2747 Shenandoah avenue.
Peters, Lulu, 1416 Wash street.
Pearce, Lucille, 2951 Dickson street.
Petermann, Albert, 2706 Madison street.
Ryan, Dan, 4638 Maffitt avenue.
Ringling, Eugene, 4973 Kemper Park place.
Risch, Olga, 2801 Indiana avenue.
Robinson, 2, 3, Jr., 4325 John avenue.
Reuter, Francis, 1721A North Jefferson avenue.
Ritcher, George, 3715 Texas avenue.
Rosemann, Helene, 3536 Victor street.
Rae, Ethel M., 4047 West Pine boulevard.
Rodenroth, Marguerite, 3433 Nebraska street.
Ross, Minnie, 5213 North Twenty-first street.
Richards, Florence, 4008 Lincoln avenue.
Roe, Thomas R., 3129 School street.
Russell, Johnnie R., 4128 North Broadway.
Rifkin, Sam, 1016 North Fourteenth street.
Reller, Frank, 7037 North Twenty-second street.
Rozier, Ralph, 4147 Connecticut street.
Stafford, Henry, 1919 Goode avenue.
Severin, Lilly, 2240 Bismarck street.
Stevens, Margaret, 5377 Cabanne avenue.
Shewell, Mary Cleland, 3934 Forest park boulevard.
Stout, S. Gerome, 5149 Page avenue.
Stiller, Flora, 4919 Kennerly avenue.
Smith, Jefferson and James, 2923 Easton avenue.
Slemmens, Ray, 1522 South Eighth street.
Spindler, Celia, 4501 San Francisco avenue.
Stobie, Gladys M., 2721 North Grand avenue.
Sheard, Harriet H., 2621 North Market street.
Settles, Ilima, 5338 Bulwer avenue.
Skelcher, Sydney P., 6121 Cheltenham avenue.
Sweeney, Ruth and Mark, 1420 Garrison avenue.
Silverson, Oscar, 311 Fillmore street.
Smith, Sophia, 4148 Fairfax avenue.
Schmidt, Tilly M., 1021 Dillon street.
Smith, Gibson, 5618 Page avenue.
St. John, Isabel, 2719 North Fifteenth street.
Spitzenberg, Henry, 4016 North Twenty-eighth street.
Schaffner, Willie, 4828 North Second street.
Spear, Harry B., 1331 Taylor avenue.
Schmidt, Elsa, 3208 Winnebago street.
Silver, Lottie R., 4454 Delmar boulevard.
Smith, Herbert, 4840 Cote Brilliante avenue.
Truke, Charles, 920 Hickory street.
Talley, James Kivas, 5675 Cabanne avenue.
Trinkhaus, Hilda, 2624 Palm street.
Taylor, Jessie, 4512 Cook avenue.
Taylor, Mary S., 5570 Cabanne avenue.
Tihen, Josephine, 5649 Cote Brilliante avenue.
Varrelmann, Ferdinand, 3600 South Jefferson avenue.
Vornholt, Oscar, 5328 Easton avenue.
Vokbeck, Edythe, 1315 Old Manchester road.
Wall, Clarence, 4131 Minnesota avenue.
Whitehouse, Edna, 2827 Madison street.
Wintermann, Ewald Louis, 3011 Hawthorne boulevard.
Witt, Sylva, 4428 Greer avenue.
Williams, Dale, 4856 St. Louis avenue.
Warrener, Jean, 4036 Connecticut street.
Walker, Blossom, 4056 Russell avenue.
Wollmerhauser, Louis.
Wesling, Oscar, 3225 Neosho avenue.
Wesseling, Gertrude, 5051 Terry avenue.
Wallace, Francis, 8 United States Arsenal.
Welhoelter, Lulu, 1026 North Sixteenth street.
Weck, Arthur, 1704 O'Fallon street.
Windmuller, Philip and Logan, 3908 Delmar boulevard.
Woolrych, Humphrey and Edmund, 3938 Morgan street.
Wilson, Ethel, 1315 Hickory street.
Wines, Charlie, 2932 Henrietta avenue.
Wynkoop, Helen, 3430 Lucas avenue.
Wagner, Hattie, 2806 Magnolia avenue.
Wollmershauser, Louis, 3907 Gratiot street.
Warde, Daisy Ann, 2562 Geraldine avenue.
Waller, Lura May, 3711 Evans avenue.
Weider, Josephine, 700 South Second street.
Yoder, Maude, 1216 Monroe street.
Zeither, Amelia, 2013 Salisbury street.

Clarence Richards, 4111 Shenandoah avenue; George Klitzker, 4133 Shenandoah avenue, and George Weber, 4123 Shenandoah avenue, are cultivating a vacant lot in block 4100 Shenandoah avenue.

Jesse Morrell, Hugo Elzemeyer and Wesley Kleinschmidt have formed a copartnership garden and are cultivating the Blair school yard.

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China Store.
(THIRD FLOOR.)

Dinner Sets. Because we sell more dinner sets than any other store, we must buy more, and because we buy in such great quantities we secure advantages that make our low selling prices possible. Another advantage is the great assortment which makes it possible to suit all tastes. Exact description is difficult, but any set mentioned below is a genuine bargain at the price asked. See them.

English Semi-Porcelain—Set 113 pieces, including soup tureen and large platters, looped ribbon and flower underglaze decoration in green or blue. A very neat and serviceable set—only **$7.75**.

English Semi-Porcelain—lightweight, 112 pieces, very pretty shapes and decorated with pinks or wild roses in natural colors and gold illuminated, gold tracing also—only **$10.00.**

English Semi-Porcelain—100 pieces, massive shapes, very pretty filled-in twining border decoration, gold traced edges and handles—only **$10.00.**

Austrian China—100 pieces, handsome shapes, gold ornamented handles, and filled-in floral spray decorations, 4 designs—only **$12.50.**

Carlsbad China—102 pieces, including soup tureen and large platters, beautiful shapes, very pretty floral decoration, gold edges and handles, gold tracing—only **$14.50.**

Haviland China—100 pieces, very dainty floral decorations in delicate colors, richly gold encrusted handles. Many pieces decorated inside and out—a really beautiful set and worth $35, for **$25.00.**

Lemonade or Punch Bowls. Beautiful Haviland China, very graceful shapes and tasteful decorations, particularly suitable for wedding presents, **$14.00, $16.00, $18.75** and **$21.50.**

Footed Cups to match, or sold separately, **$13.75, $14.00** and **$17.50** per dozen.

Strawberry Short Cake Sets. 13 pieces, large plate, 12 to 14 in. and 12 plates 7 to 8 inches, equally desirable for ice cream sets.

Austrian China, with delicate floral border decoration, **$3.50** per set.

Haviland China, embossed edges and decorated with hand-painted floral sprays, large plate gold stippled, **$4.25.**

Haviland China, decoration, wide border of dainty flower loops, rich gold stippling, a very handsome set, **$8.00.**

25 or more designs at all prices up to **$45.00.**

House Furnishing Store
(SECOND FLOOR).

Go-Carts and Baby Carriages

All our Go-Carts and Baby Carriages are fitted with the celebrated London gear, enameled in beautiful maroon color.

They are the easiest riding carriages made. We have them in great variety of designs and upholsterings, all with patent footbrakes and rubber tired wheels, and the prices are surprisingly low.

Go-Carts, $3.50, $4.50, $7.50, $10.50, up to $30.00.
Baby Carriages, $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, up to $30.00.

Baby Carriage Bargain.

Four only, close woven full reed body and adjustable hoods, one upholstered in drab and three in olive green fine broadcloth, scroll springs, patent foot brakes, rubber tires; regular price $24, but as they have been used as samples and are slightly shopworn, we offer them at

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Porch Screens Made of Japanese Split Bamboo, keep out the sun, but do not obstruct the breeze. You will get much more pleasure out of your veranda if you use these; 3 sizes—6x6, 8x8 and 8x10 ft.; prices, **$1.50, $2.00** and **$2.50.**

Komo Porch Cushions. Japanese Close Woven Grass, in various colors and strongly bound, stuffed with chopped matting. The nicest porch cushion made, **50c** each.

Fire Place Screens. Convenient and sightly to hide the fireplace during the summer, fan shaped and folding, 10c.

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Rubber Sponges. They are very durable and cleanse more readily than a vegetable sponge, produce a delightful friction, which adds much to the pleasure of the bath; various sizes: **50c, 65c, 85c, $1.15, $1.40** and **$2.50.**

A Drop-Head Sewing Machine for $12.00

A high arm, drop head sewing machine, solid oak, nicely finished, 5 drawers, runs easily and is a really first class family sewing machine, the best value ever offered for the price, **$12.00.**

The Velox Lockstitch Runs on ball bearings and has more up-to-date improvements than any other machine, cabinet work beautifully finished quarter-sawed oak or walnut. A complete set of attachments with each machine:

3 drawers **$20.00**
5 drawers **$22.50**
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The Velox Automatic. The lightest running machine in the world, makes a chain stitch, uses no shuttle or bobbin, has drop head with automatic lifting device, rounded ends and crescent front in quarter-sawed oak or mahogany, piano polish, with 5 drawers, **$47.00.**

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MENU.
(CUT OUT FOR REFERENCE.)

MONDAY.
Strawberry Short Cake.
City Blend Coffee.

TUESDAY.
Coffee Cake.
Angel Cake.
City Blend Coffee.

WEDNESDAY.
Pastry Sandwiches.
Puff Ball Doughnuts.
City Blend Coffee.

THURSDAY.
Angel Fig Cake.
Angel Nut Cake.
City Blend Coffee.

FRIDAY.
Chocolate Cake.
Biscuits.
City Blend Coffee.

SATURDAY.
Cocoanut Cake.
Golden Layer Cake.
City Blend Coffee.

Sporting Goods Store.
(FIRST FLOOR.)

Bargains in Fishing Lines. Used as samples by salesmen of our wholesale department, some a little defective, but most good as new; to be sold cheaper than fishing lines have ever been sold in St. Louis or anywhere else. This is a rare opportunity for fishermen. Just an idea of prices:

Braided Silk Line, linen center, 100 yards, regular price $2.50, for **35c.**

Waterproof Braided Silk Lines, some a little defective, some perfect, 25 yards, regular price 75c to $1.00, for **25c** each.

Sea Grass Lines, 75 ft. and 150 ft. lengths, regular price 35c to 50c, any of them, **15c** each.

Hand Braided Irish Linen Lines, and Sea Island Cotton, 50 ft. pieces, worth 15c, for **5c** each.

Hand-Laid Linen Lines, 150-ft. pieces, regular price 50c, for **20c** each.

Braided Silk Lines, 25-yd. lengths, regular price 60c to 75c, **15c** for each.

Braided Silk Lines, short lengths, about 8 to 10 yards; some splendid qualities, **5c** each.

Ecru Cotton Lines, 25 ft., on boards, **10c** doz.

A big lot of Cotton and Linen Lines in hanks, all sizes, mostly 15-ft. lengths, worth up to 25c each; make your own selection, **5c** doz. hanks.

Furnished Lines, worth 10c to 20c each, for **5c** each.

Artificial Baits, about 2 dozen, including some phantom minnows, **5c** each.

Fly Books, worth up to $2.00, for **25c** each.

Sample Croquet Sets. There is no more delightful home game for summer than croquet, and today we give you an opportunity to purchase a sample set—only slightly shopworn—for 25 per cent less than regular price. We have only 15 of these sets, and the reduced prices are **40c, 55c, 90c, $1.00** up to **$5.50.**

Lawn Tennis.

Rackets—Our line of rackets includes Prestwich, Glenwood, Expert, Ingleside, Delmar and all other well known makes. Prices from **75c** to **$6.50.**

Racket Presses—Invaluable for preventing warping of rackets, **50c.**

Nets—The genuine Intercollegiate Net, the finest made, **$3.50** and **$4.** Other nets from **$1.50** up.

Tennis Balls, Marking Tape, Dry Court Marker and all other sundries.

Special.

75c Boys' Baseball Mitts, **25c** each.

SERVED THE FERRY 50 YEARS

Capt. Henry Sackmann Was Presented With a Testimonial of the Wiggins Company's Appreciation.

Capt. Henry Sackman, superintendent of river department, has served the Wiggins Ferry for fifty years.

The warring officials and stockholders of the company ceased the strife long enough Monday to present the captain a testimonial of the regard in which he is held.

Those present at the meeting of the board of directors, called for this purpose, were: John Scullin, Alonzo C. Church, Charles L. Gilbert, George L. Sands, Festus J. Wade, Ernest Peugnet.

Mr. Church, on behalf of the company, tendered Capt. Sackmann a beautifully engrossed memorial and a check for $1000.

The captain's home is in East St. Louis, where he has been a school director for 25 years.

Ease the Eyes.

The right glasses will receive the strain. Have your eyes examined free of charge by Dr. Bond, expert optician, at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust. A proper fitting guaranteed. Steel frames, $1 and up; gold, $5 and up.

SPANISH-AMERICAN CLUB

Celebration in St. Louis of the Great Mexican Holiday at the Hotel Beers.

The spacious parlors of Hotel Beers, Grand avenue and Olive street, were crowded last night by the members of the Spanish-American Club and their friends, the occasion being the Celegration of the great Mexican National holiday, "La Fiesta de 5 de Mayo."

The walls were tastefully decorated with bunting, and the pictures of President Roosevelt and Gen. Diaz, hung on the wall at one end of the room, were drapen with the Mexican and American flags.

All the prominent Latin-American residents of this city were present.

An informal programme was rendered, the principal numbers being an address in Spanish by Sr. Dn. Bianchi, whose subject Miss Dora Fritz sang some of the airs most popular in Mexico, while Miss Elsa Hoffman rendered several piona selections.

Some interesting stereoptican views of scenes in the Republic were also shown, and H. Wedemeyer, a member of the club, described each picture as it was thrown on the screen. The guests were welcomed by the President, Aug. Boette; Irta Guadalupe Gutienez recited a poem: "La Fiesta de Cinco da Mayo." Orations were Tarza.

A REAL CURE FOR DYSPEPSIA.

The Prescription of a Specialist Now Offered to the Public.

For years one of the most celebrated, skillful and successful physicians throughout the entire Mississippi Valley has been writing a prescription for patients afflicted with indigestion, dyspepsia and irregularities of the digestive organs. The effectiveness of this prescription was observed by the druggist who compounded it with great interest, and it was noticed that, almost without exception, quick relief and permanent cure was obtained by the patient. The druggist recognizing the value of a prescription producing such an unusual result, obtained the consent of the physician to use the formula. A company was organized and an effective remedy for digestive disorders and dyspepsia was placed on the market and advertised under the name of Eupepsia Tablets for promoting digestion and curing dyspepsia. The public's reception of Eupepsia Tablets exceeded all expectations of the promoters. A ready demand has been found for the Tablets in cities and localities where once introduced, and no similar remedy has ever been sold under a guarantee to refund purchase price if found ineffective.

Sold by druggists or direct for 50c per box of two weeks' treatment. You may have a sample package and pamphlet on Stomach Troubles that tells you all about it, and letters from sufferers who have been cured by writing to the Eupepsia Co., 325 Clark av., St. Louis, Mo.

REGAL SHOE OUTPUT GROWS.

Company Has Completed New Factory in Whitman, Mass.

"From the tannery to the consumer," the slogan of the Regal Shoe Co., has gained added significance this spring, as the company has just completed a new factory in Whitman, Mass., and now turns out to the consumer 2400 pairs of shoes a day.

The advance of this company has been steadily onward. The business was started a few years ago in Boston by two young men who believed that good, stylish shoes could be properly made and profitably sold direct to the wearer for $3.50, one-half of the then prevalent prices for footwear.

They were successful from the first and now there are Regal stores located in all the principal cities of the United States and Canada and in London, England. In addition to the Regal stores is a great mail order department, which ships shoes to all parts of the world, supplying 150,000 persons regularly. The integrity of this department is readily appreciated when one considers that less than one pair of shoes in a thousand is returned because of any dissatisfaction.

Every Regal shoe is sold for cash. This is done so that the buying end of the business can be conducted on a similar basis, and thus every advantage in prices is taken up with ready money.

After the merging of the factory interests into the store interests the firm name became L. C. Bliss & Co., L. C. Bliss, his son, E. J. Bliss, and C. H. Cross constituting the firm.

CUSTOMS REFORMS PROMISED.

Atlantic Voyagers Must Have More Consideration, Says Stranahan.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Collector of Customs Stranhan, in an address to the entire force of customs inspectors, who assembled at the barge office to meet him, has told the inspectors that transatlantic voyagers must in future be treated with more consideration.

Difficulties in passing baggage, which have exasperated passengers on incoming vesels are, he said, to be done away with, and new regulations soon will be promulgated which will minimize all of the evils which have aroused complaint.

The collector reminded the men who meet steamships and search baggage on piers that they are servants of the public and urged them to perform their duties in such manner as to merit public approval.

SCRAP IRON OF WARSHIPS.

American Company Will Break Up Wrecked Spanish Fighters.

SANTIAGO, May 6.—A representative of an American company has purchased the wrecks of the Spanish warships Almirante Oquendo and Viscaya, and they will be broken up and sent to Philadelphia as scrap iron. The vessels will yield about 20,000 tons and the government will receive $1 a ton.

THE CENTURY
FORMERLY THE Boston
BROADWAY and FRANKLIN AV.

MUST GET OUT OF BUSINESS

STORE FOR RENT, FIXTURES FOR SALE.

No matter how goods are sacrificed. A few of the numberless unprecedented values on sale tomorrow:

WASH DRESS GOODS AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

10c and 12 1-2c Wash Goods, 5c.
5000 yards Wash Dress Goods, batistes, dimities, lawns and foulards, all handsome new designs, regular price 10c and 12½c, per yard 5c

15c and 18c Wash Goods, 7 1-2c.
8000 yards Organdies, Batistes, Dimities and French Lawns; choicest colorings and patterns, regular price 15c and 18c per yard—choice 7½c

20c and 25c Wash Goods, 10c.
3500 yards finest Imported Wash Goods, Swisses, Madras Dimities and Mercerized French Lawns, choicest wash goods on the market—regular price 22c and 25c per yard—choice 10c

SKIRTS, WAISTS, WRAPPERS.
Wonderful Values.

All $8 Cloth Skirts of all-wool Venetian, in pearl, gray, castor, black, blue and brown, beautifully trimmed in rows of satin and handsomely stitched; now $3.95
All $5 Cloth Skirts, 5-gore serge and cheviot, upper portion trimmed and tucked; graduated flounce; now $2.45
All $8 Gibson Jackets, taffeta, silk, broad pleat, handsomely lined, trimmed with crochet wings and loops of ribbon $4.95
All $1 Shirt Waists, now 49c
All 75c Shirt Waists 29c
All $1.50 White India Linen and Gingham Waists 95c
All $1 Wrappers, neatly trimmed, half lined 39c
All $1.50 Wrappers, dark percale, trimmed with ruffles and braid 75c
150 lined brilliantine Dress Skirts 69c
200 brilliantine trimmed Skirts 98c

MILLINERY.
CUBAN FLATS.

The latest rage in up-to-date hats, in blue, black, pink, white, maize and turquoise; sold all over the city at $1.00—Wednesday, while 50 doz. last **29c**

WALL PAPER DEPARTMENT.

The Largest in the World.

Entire fourth floor 100x150 feet is packed with wall paper which must be closed out at once. Price no object—all must go, no matter what it will bring.

Elegant heavy embossed gold paper worth from 20c to 25c per roll—closing out at, per roll .... **5c and 3c**
White blanks, per roll **1½c**
Our $1 papers, per roll **25c**

5c Handkerchiefs, 1½c.
500 dozen Ladies' White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, former price 5c 1½c

Ladies' Lisle Gloves, 10c.
150 dozen Ladies' Lisle Gloves, black, white and tan, 25c values, now 10c

15c Underwear, 5c.
Ladies' Vests, Misses' Vests and Children's Vests—low neck and sleeveless—taped at neck and arms, white, cream and pink and blue—many in the lot worth up to 15c—now 5c

15c Hosiery at 5c.
Ladies' Black Hose, Misses' Ribbed Hose, Infants' Ribbed Black, Tan and Red Hose—Men's Black Socks, all full seamless and fast colors—worth up to 15c—until sold 5c
CORSETS—Made of Coutil or Summer Net—all sizes—50c kind now 35c
WHITE PETTICOATS—Umbrella style—deep flounce—2 rows lace and insertion with ruffle to match—$1.00 kind now 68c

Boys' and Children's Hats.
See These Values.
Children's and Boys' Straw Hats, plain and fancy mixed brands—goods regularly sold at 50c—now 25c
Boys' and Children's Caps, in all shapes, fancy embroidered figures in front—worth up to 39c—now 15c

25c Black Mercerized Satine, 10c.
1000 yards black mercerized Satine, 36 inches wide, 25c value; to be closed out at, per yard 10c

19c Zephyr Ginghams, 9½c.
1200 yards fine French zephyr ginghams; beautiful styles; regular 19c quality; to be closed out at 9½c

20c India Linen, 9c.
1500 yards white India linen, 40 inches wide; very fine and sheer; regular price 20c per yard; to be closed out at 9c

6¼c Shirting Calico, 3½c.
2500 yards best shirting calico; 6¼c quality; to be closed out 3½c

15c Turkish Bath Towels, 7c
100 dozen unbleached Turkish bath towels; size 22 by 48; the regular 15c kind; to be closed out at 7c

Carpets and Rugs.
$1.25 best Brussels Carpets, newest patterns and latest colorings 65c

Room-Size Rugs.
$16.50 Brussels Rugs, 9x12 .... $8.50
$25 Brussels Rugs, 9½x12 .... $12.50

SHOES.
Bargain Hunters' Paradise
Babies' Low Shoes, kid, patent leather tip, turn soles, sizes 3 to 6; former price 40c; now 15c
Ladies' Low Shoes, vici kid, patent leather tip, up-to-date shapes, sizes 3 to 8 .... 89c
Ladies' House Slippers, kid, 3-point, city made, sizes 4 to 8, former price 75c; now 35c
Men's Shoes, calf and kangaroo, lace and congress; former price $2.00; now 95c

25c Muffin Pans for 9c.
About 150 12-cup retinned Turk's head Muffin Pans, former price 25c; now 9c

85c Galvanized Tubs, 49c.
300 extra large Galvanized Iron Wash Tubs, former price 75c; now 49c

20c Saucepans for 5c.
200 dozen 20c Sauce Pans, heavy tin, regular price 20c; now 5c

Boys' Suits and Waists.
Boys' $2.00 double-breasted Suits, plain blue and small gray checks; now 79c
Boys' 25c Percale Waists; now 10c

LANDLORD GUARDS TENANTS' CHILDREN

HE LOOKS AFTER THOSE WHO RUN STREETS.

MUCH TIME IS REQUIRED

Attorney Read Has Elaborate System by Which He Expects Good Results to Young.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CHICAGO, May 6.—If Frederick P. Read, landlord and attorney, fails hereafter to arrive home at his usual hour there need be on alarm among the members of his household, for he has taken upon himself the job of regulating the children of his tenants who are disposed to run the streets.

Mr. Read volunteered to act as probation officer, and his services were accepted by the court. It may be necessary for him to spend several hours every evening hunting up the boys and girls who will not stay at home.

Mr. Read not only said that he would look after his own tenant's children, but agreed to keep a watchful eye on all others in the neighborhod who might be disposed to influence the children of his tenants.

He volunteered to correspond with the teachers of the chilldren and ascertain their progress at school. He will call on the tenants for reports of their children and question the children themselves. Then he will enlist the services of good children to watch the others and thus maintain the surveillance when he is away.

This unique role for the landlord was brought about by saloonkeepers in the downtown district, led by H. C. Smith, who runs several saloons. Smith called the attention of Chief Probation Officer Hurley to the annoyance caused him by young girls, who ran in and out of the saloon and teased the bartenders and patrons.

"We caught two girls in the saloon," said Officer Hurley, "and we have just received a complaint from the Sherman House bar of the same thing."

"I want Mary Domaico released," put in Mr. Read, "and will undertake to see that she causes no more bother and that all these children keep out of the saloons, off the streets and go to school."

Miss Gertrude Patacci was appointed probation officer, with Mr. Read as general assistant.

A Consistent Economist

Will look to the future. Inadaptable paint or varnish is money wasted. We make paint and varnish of every description, each exactly suited to its purpose. If you don't know what you want, we shall be pleased to tell you. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., 620 Franklin avenue.

Big Timber Deal Concluded.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 6.—One of the largest lumber deals in the history of Milwaukee has just been made between the John Schroeder Lumber Co. and E. B. Simpson of Milwaukee. Mr. Simpson represents the Interstate Land and Lumber Co., a Wisconsin corporation which has sold 200,000,000 feet of fir in the vicinity of Portland, Ore., and the purchasers have secured enough in addition to that amount to give a total of about 300,000,000 feet.

Under any Test
It is
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DAVID NICHOLSON, St. Louis, Mo.

MURDERER PAYS THE PENALTY.

John Cassels Killed Mrs. Lane, Whom He Loved.

BOSTON, May 6.—John D. Cassels was electrocuted in the state prison in Charlestown, Mass., early this morning for the murder of Mrs. Mary J. Lane of Long Meadow, Mass., in February last. He was absolutely fearless in his last moments and his last words were a plea for divine help to those of his family who are left.

Cassels' infatuation for Mrs. Lane led to the murder. The man himself was married. He urged Mrs. Lane to elope with him, and, when she refused, fired three shots at her, two of the bullets taking effect. She died two weeks later. Cassels swallowed carbolic acid, but medical attendance saved his life. He was a sewing machine agent and was well educated. He was a Scotchman, and his wife is living in England. After his arrest, Cassels wrote to his wife, asking her to come to him in his troubles.

North St. Louis Business Men to Meet.—President Frank C. Brod and Secretary J. H. Sommerich have called a meeting of the North St. Louis Business Men's Association for Social Turner Hall, May 8, at 8 p. m. The question of a Sunday closing will be discussed.

TEARFUL TALE OF A TERRIER PUP

POOR SKYE'S FATE WAS TO PERISH IN A PIPE.

MORAL: DON'T CHASE TOADS

For Hidden in the Grass May Be an Awful Trap for Little Boys and Girls.

Skye's getaway.

"Come hither, children," as old Peter Parley used to say, and list to the tearful tale of Skye, the terrier pup, that was, and is not. He perished in a pipe.

"Who was Skye?" does little Willy ask.

Ah, Willie boy, if you lived anywhere in the neighborhood of Lafayette Park you would not ask.

All the little boys and girls who dwell in those parts know that Skye was the beloved pet pup of Dr. Walter R. Coryell, who lives with his friends, Mr. and Mrs. Augustine A. Gardiner, at 1409 Missouri avenue, fronting the park. Had he not barked boldly at "Johnny Jones and his sister Sue," as they passed along with nursie on the way to the park for a romp? Had he not played tag with Tommy Atkins and other strenuous small boys of the South Side?

Of course he had.

Skye was a blooded pup, the pride of Dr. Coryell and the pet of all who knew him in his four months of life.

"But how could a puppy perish in a pipe?" inquires little Susie. "It must have been one of those great big Dutch pipes—O, ever so big!"

Skye's finish.

Nay, nay, Susie girl; it was a sewer pipe.

"O, dreadful!"

Look out there, Johnny; don't get too close to your Uncle Peter's gouty great toe. Now, children, all ready, and here's the sad tale.

Saturday evening after dinner, Dr. Coryell and Skye went out in front of the house for a quiet smoke. No, Will; Skye didn't smoke—of course not.

There's a pleasant grassy plot in front of the house, between the sidewalk and the street, and over this little Skye gamboled gaily, chasing a happy hopping toad frog. No, no; Skye wasn't afraid of warts.

Hidden in this grass was an awful trap. It was worse than those pitfalls the Filipinos set for our soldiers who go hunting them with guns. It was a great, big, awful hole that Skye didn't know anything about.

Now this is where the pipe comes in:

'Way down deep, 12 feet from the top of the ground, runs the big black sewer river, and up from this stuck an air pipe, 10 inches in diameter and open at the top. The grass had overgrown the opening and how could Skye know it was there?

So when he jumped for the toad frog he went right head first into that sewer air pipe.

No, the toad was a better jumper; he cleared the hole and hopped away on the other side.

Dr. Coryell saw his puppy disappear and heard him ki-yi away down in the earth.

It was just awful.

There was Skye at the bottom of that small pipe and what was to be done?

The doctor called to him and he answered—such a plaintive little yelp. It brought tears to the eyes of many who gathered at the top of the pipe.

"Send for the plumber," sugested a neighbor.

So the plumber man was sent for, and he came. But he shook his head. "It would take five hours to dig down to the sewer," he told them, "and by that time the water will come in and wash Skye away. All we can do is to try to fish him out."

The plumber man went somewhere and got a long rod, with a sort of fish net fixed on one end. He stuck this into the pipe hole and tried to coax Skye to step into the net. But Skye was scared and he only whined.

The plumber man fished around and managed to get Skye caught in the net. He pulled up, but the puppy fell out before he got to the top.

He hit the bottom of the sewer with a thud.

By this time many children who loved Skye had gathered above and some were crying. The plumber man tried again and again. The third time he had the doggy so near the top that Dr. Coryell could almost reach him with his arm; but Skye's hold broke again and he fell.

This time they heard no more whining from the puppy. Skye was dead.

The fall had killed him.

All of which should be a warning to little boys and girls, in playing on grassy places near sidewalks, to look out for open pipes. You might have fallen in there yourself. Willie—but then you are afraid of warts and you don't chase happy hopping toads, do you?

The "Katy" Oil Company

Will pay you dividends for the months of May and June a total of 5½ per cent, or an annual dividend rate of 3 per cent. 208 Rialto building.

FRIDAY, THE FIFTH OF MAY.

Spanish-American Club Celebrates It at Hotel Beers.

Mexican and United States bunting intermingled at the Hotel Beers Monday night at the feast of the 5th of May, celebrated by the Spanish-American Club. Pictures of President Diaz and President Roosevelt faced each other, Spanish and English was spoken. Auguste Boette welcomed the guests. He is the club's president.

Senorita Guadelupe Gutienez recited a poem in Spanish, "La Fiesta se Cinco de Mayo." Senor D. Bianchi made an address in Spanish on the subject of "The Latin-American Republics." Miss Dora Fritz sang some of the popular songs of Mexico, and Miss Hoffman played several piano selections. Stereopticon views of scenes in Mexico were explained by H. Wedemeyer. Senors Ramon Obregon and Jose Garza, made short talks on the feeling that should be encouraged between the United States and Mexico.

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Manufacturers' Outlet Sale!

CORDED SILKS.

Your choice of our entire stock of finest qualities Corded Wash Silks, dainty stripes; regular 50 and 75c values; Manufacturers' Outlet Sale Price; choice, yard.......... 39c

WHITE GOODS.

Item	Price
12½c White Welt Pique....... 10c Check Nainsook....... 15c White 40-inch Lawn....... 10c White India Linen....... 10c Check Dimities.......	Choice 5c Yard
20c White Persian Lawn.... 20c Leno and Satin Stripe.... 20c White Sheer Dimities.... 20c Wide India Linen........	Choice 10c Yard

FOULARD SILKS.

Your choice of about 500 pieces of the best All Silk French Foulards, small, medium and large designs, assorted colors, worth up to 75c yard; Manufacturers' Outlet Sale Price, choice, yd... 35c

Separate Skirts.

On Second Floor.

Item	Price
100 new $5.00 all-wool Melton Walking Skirts, to be sold Wednesday at..........	$2.98
275 Dress Skirts made of good material, well bound and lined, a $2.00 skirt for..........	69c

Shirt Waists.

Item	Price
From 10 to 11 we will sell a 50c ready-made Waist, any size, and good colors, one to a customer, for..........	19c
A Taffeta Silk Waist, beautifully tucked, hemstitched and trimmed, a regular $3.00 waist, for..........	$1.98
A beautiful line of Children's Dresses, of all materials, ages 2 to 14, from..........	25c Up
BEST OPAQUE WINDOW SHADES, all complete and in perfect condition, mounted on good spring roller, Wednesday..........	19c
LACE CURTAIN POLES, with brackets and knobs complete, worth 15c, Wednesday..........	5c
40 rolls of best TABLE OIL CLOTH, 46 inch wide, worth 20c yard, Wednesday..........	5c
Corsets—(In our Bargain Basement)—Surplus stock of W. & B. and other good corsets at 25c and some good soiled corsets for..........	10c
LADIES DRAWERS—In good muslin, well made, with tucks—and wide hem, at..........	12c
PETTICOATS—A big manufacturer's surplus. To close out hundreds of regular $1.00 goods in the lot, sale price..........	19c
INFANTS' SACQUES—In pique, colored collar and cuffs, worth 69c, at 49c, and others worth 49c at 25c, and some soiled hand crochet sacques at......	15c

Manufacturers' Sale of Shirts

At One-Fourth the Regular Prices.

Item	Price
50c Shirts for..........	15c
75c Shirts for..........	25c
$1.00 Shirts and Nightshirts.......... Or 3 for $1.	35c
$1.00 Shirts for..........	49c
$3.00 Silk Shirts for..........	$1.98

Socks.

Item	Price
Men's Fast Black and Tan Seamless Socks, spliced heel and toes, worth 15c; Wednesday..........	5c

Monstrous Hosiery Bargains.

Item	Price
50c Lisle Hose for..........	15c
15c plain black and white feet Hose..........	9c
35c Children's Fine Imported Hose at..........	15c
15c Bicycle Hose at..........	8c
10c Seamless Hose (in basement) at..........	2c

Bed Spreads.

Item	Price
65c Double Size Bed Spreads for..........	25c
75c Large Bed Spreads..........	39c
$1.00 Marseilles Spreads..........	54c
$1.25 Double Size Spreads..........	75c
$1.50 Marseilles Pattern..........	87c
$1.75 Extra Large Spreads..........	98c
$2.00 Fine Marseilles Spreads..........	$1.75

EMBROIDERIES.

Item	Price
5c Embroideries, for, yard..........	1c
7½c Swiss Embroideries for....	2½c
10c Nainsook Embroideries for...	5c
25c Insertion Embroideries for...	9c

LACES.

Item	Price
5c Torchon Lace, for, yard..........	1c
7½c Valenciennes Lace for.	2½c
10c Band Lace, for, yard..........	5c
25c Insertion Embroideries for.	7½c

UNDERWEAR

At Less Than Cost of Raw Cotton.

MEN'S

Item	Price
50c Underwear for..........	15c
75c Underwear for 35c, or 3 for....	$1.00
$1.50 Underwear for..........	49c
$2.00 Underwear for..........	69c
$3.00 Underwear for..........	98c

LADIES'

Item	Price
50c Silk Vests for..........	15c
25c Lace Trimmed Pants..........	15c
15c Silk Taped Vests..........	5c

CHILDREN'S

Item	Price
Low Neck Sleeveless Vests.......... Rise ½c on each size.	2½c
Boys' 25c Underwear..........	10c

SOAP.

Item	Price
Lana Oil Buttermilk, per cake..........	5c

BEAUTY PINS

Item	Price
Six Beauty Pins on a card, were 10c; only....	5c

BELTS

Item	Price
Leather and Satin-pleated Belts, with buckles to match, worth up to 75c; in basement at.....	5c
J. & P. COATS' and J. J. CLARK'S Thread, 2 spools, from 8 to 10..........	5c
SILKATEEN and crocheting cotton at 9:30 while it lasts......	2c

WASH GOODS.

Item	Price
LAWNS—1500 pieces of fine Lawns, Dimities, Batiste, etc.; in all the latest patterns, 10c; good manufacturers' outlet sale price..........	5c
ORGANDIES—2000 pieces of French Organdies and Lawns in the floral designs; the 12½c grade; manufacturers' outlet sale price......	7½c
DIMITIES—5000 mill lengths of the finest Irish Dimities, in stripes, etc.; the 15c grade; manufacturers' sale price..........	10c

GIGANTIC OUTLET SALE OF

Manufacturers' Mill Ends In Our Big Bargain Basement.

Item	Price
5c Calicoes..........	1½c
6c Lawns..........	1½c
5c Unbleached Muslin..........	2½c
7½c Dimities..........	3c
6c Calicoes..........	3½c
6½c Bleach Muslin......	4c
10c Yard-wide Percale..........	4½c
FRUIT OF THE LOOM MUSLIN..........	5c Yard
12½c Zephyr Gingham..........	5c
12c Yard-Wide Percale..........	7¾c
20c 5-4 Bleached Sheeting..........	9c
10c Pillow Cases..........	5c
50c Bed Sheets..........	25c
60c Bed Sheet..........	38c
70c Bed Sheet..........	43c
12½c Lonsdale Cambric..........	5c
35c BLACK MERCERIZED SILK......	12½c Cents
10c Blue and Brown Denims..........	5c
BEST LINING CAMBRICS..........	2c
12½c Blue Denim..........	7½c
10c Lawns and Denims..........	5c
15c Sea Island Lawns..........	7½c
12½c Fancy Striped Ticking..........	5c
25c 9-4 Bleached Sheeting..........	16c
20c 9-4 Unbleached Sheeting..........	11½c
15c Yard-wide Percale..........	9c
25c Shell-stitched Skirts..........	12½c
20c 8-4 Bleached Sheeting..........	13c
75c Hemmed Sheets..........	47c
75c Hemstitched Sheets..........	49c

Manufacturers' Sample Shoes.

Item	Price
60c Ladies' House Slippers..........	25c
$1.50 Ladies' Low Shoes..........	49c
$2.00 Ladies' Oxford Ties..........	87c
$1.50 Ladies' Lace Shoes..........	79c
$1.50 Boys' Shoes..........	87c
$3.00 Ladies' Low Shoes (samples)......	$1.45
$1.00 Men's Slippers..........	45c
$2.00 Men's Shoes..........	97c

HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

Item	Price
Refrigerator, like cut.	$4.98
$1 Lawn Bench like cut......	49c
25c Garden Rake, 10-in. size, for..........	10c
10c Garden Hose 3-ply, per ft....	5c
$5 Lawn Swing, just like cut....	$3.98
$1.00 nicely finished Screen Door..........	69c
Window Screens from 60c down to	5c
$2 Japanned Water Cooler.	79c
$4 Western Wash Machine....	$1.98
A $1 Heavy Copper Bottom Wash Boiler..........	69c
50c Ironing Board for....	19c
$1.00 Curtain Stretcher.....	69c
10c Clothes Line	5c
Clothes pins, doz	1c
Laundry Soap....	1c
15c Block Tin Oil Can..........	3c
A fine $1.50 Hammock, special for this sale only......	69c
A 50c quart Can of Ready Mixed Paint..........	15c

Special 98c Sale for Wednesday.

In fancy Straw Braids, tucked silk and tucked silk Chiffon Hats, the best value ever offered—worth $4.00.......... 98c

Millinery Dept. Main Entrance.

15-YEAR-OLD GIRL IS ODDLY MISSING

AGNES WATERSON DIDN'T DISCARD HER GINGHAM APRON.

RAN AWAY TWO YEARS AGO

She Was Sent to the House of the Good Shepherd, but Was Taken Out by Her Parents.

AGNES WATERSON.

Age 15 years.

Hair black and well cared for.

Eyes brown.

Complexion brunette.

She is a large, well-developed girl, who appears older than she is.

Wore a black skirt, purple waist, gingham apron and a faded pink neck-ribbon.

Agnes Waterson of 2109 Bismarck street, 15 years old, walked away from her home Saturday night and has been missing since. She did not stop to discard the gingham apron she wore.

Her mother, Mrs. Waterson, has searched the city without discovering her daughter's whereabouts.

The girl ran away from home in November, 1901, and was sent to the House of Good Shepherd by her parents when she returned after a few days' absence.

New Year's day, Mrs. Waterson journeyed to the institution and brought her daughter home. The girl promised to obey her mother and aid in the housework. Sunday, a week ago, her father whipped her.

Saturday night, six days after she had suffered punishment, the girl disappeared.

The fact that she wore her working clothes and made no effort to carry any of her effects with her, causes Mrs. Waterson great anxiety. She fears that her daughter may have injured herself.

IF WOMEN ONLY KNEW

What a Heap of Happiness It Would Bring to St. Louis Homes.

Hard to do housework with an aching back;

Hours of misery at leisure, or at work;

If women only knew the cause;

Backache pains come from sick kidneys;

Doan's Kidney Pills will cure it.

St. Louis people endorse this.

Mrs. A. C. Groons of 1407 North Tenth street says: "During the six or seven months my back ached I used at least half a dozen standard remedies guaranteed to cure kidney complaint or backache which comes from it. If the first dose of Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Wolff-Wilson's, corner Sixth street and Washington avenue, had not helped me promptly and genuinely, I never would have gone back for a second, half of which I still have in the house, for I found it unnecessary to take the whole of the box. Since I completed the treatment there has not been a symptom of backache. My mother has also used Doan's Kidney Pills with just as positive benefit as I."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co. Buffalo, N. Y. sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name — Doan's — and take no substitute.

TWO BADLY HURT IN A RUNAWAY

C. SHARP'S SKULL FRACTURED AND CONDITION SERIOUS.

CHARLES MOLT'S LEG BROKEN

Team Ran Away on Washington Avenue and Dashed Men Against a Wall.

Charles Molt of 2332 South Third street and Charles Sharp, employes of the St. Louis Bill Posting Co., were badly injured in a runaway accident at Leonard and Washington avenues, at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday morning. Sharp's condition is very serious.

The men were driving in an open wagon when their horse frightened and ran from the corner of Garrison and Washington avenues to Washington and Leonard avenues, where the wagon collided with a tree at the southwest corner.

The men were hurled from the vehicle and fell head first on the granite pavement.

Henry McCabe of 3601 Lucky street witnessed the accident and raised the men and placed them against the wall.

Dr. A. V. L. Brokaw was called and treated the men.

Sharp was sent to the City Hospital. He had a compound fracture of the skull. Molt was sent to his home. His left leg was broken.

HENRY MUELLER DIED MONDAY

Prominent South Side Coal Merchant Succumbed to His First Illness at the Age of 56.

Henry Mueller of 329 Sidney street, a wealthy coal merchant of South St. Louis, died Monday afternoon at his home from a complication of ailments culminating in heart disease. He was 56 years of age and this was his first illness.

Mr. Mueller had been ill about five months. He was prominent in mercantile circles on the South Side.

IN DOUBLE CONTESTS

East St. Louis High School Field Day and Intellectual Struggle.

East St. Louis High School students, their teachers and friends will go to Lebanon Friday to engage in the intellectual and athletic contests of the Southwestern Illinois High School Association.

The party will leave on the early morning train over the B. & O. S.-W., and return on a special about 11 o'clock at night. Arrangements will be made with the street cars to furnish service at that hour.

The students will carry flags and streamers of their official colors—orange and blue.

The contestants entered are: Oratory, Harold Reader; declamation, Harold Reader; Latin oration, W. D. Buchanan; essay, Walter Mann; geometry, Louis Hicks; drawing, Robert Kendrick; physics, Miss Mamie McBride; biology, Ada Patrick; 50-yard dashes, Frank Hauss; standing high jump, Nathan Leivy; pole vaulting, Roscoe Adams; mile run, Fred Gunn; bicycle races, Joseph and Raymond McClellan.

Former Senator Roach Ill.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Former United States Senator William N. Roach of North Dakota is seriously ill at his home, 218 West One Hundred and Twelfth street, this city, from septic poisoning.

HIGHER EDUCATION AT HOME

Dr. James of Northwestern University Tells St. Louis About Its Own Great Secret of Learning.

"Washington University, Its Opportunities and Its Duties," was the topic of a talk by Dr. Edmund J. James, president of the Northwestern University at Evanston, Ill. It was delivered at Memorial hall Monday night.

After telling of recent endowments, suggesting a future of unbounded expansion for Washington University, Dr. James said:

"I answer to the question, what service is this institution performing which justifies it in asking for public support. I may say that it is offering the facilities for a higher education for your boys and girls here at home. An examination of the catalogues of Harvard College, the most representative and most national of all our institutions, will show that nearly one-quarter come from within 25 miles of the towers of Memorial hall.

"The state of Connecticut furnishes by far the largest contingent to Yale University, and even in the case of such a university as that of Berlin it will be found that the single small province of Brandenburg furnishes nearly one-half of the students. If the city of St. Louis is ever to come into the right appreciation of the function of the college and university in our national life, it will not be through any admiration of Harvard or Yale, or Columbia or Pennsylvania, or Cornell or Chicago, or Leland Stanford, but because it will have developed here in its own midst an institution which shall stand to it as the incarnation of the university idea."

SHOOTING IN RAILROAD CAMP.

James Smith Was Wounded Seriously by Harry Elliott.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CARBONDALE, Ill., May 6.—James Smith was shot early Monday morning at the Carey Bros.' railroad camp near Aldridge, by Harry Elliott.

Two shots were fired, one striking Smith in the left eye, passing through the head and coming out below the right ear. The other bullet entered above the right eye. Smith is in a precarious condition. Elliott has not been captured.

NO HATS SENT C. O. D. NONE OF THESE HATS CHARGED.

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CLEARING SALE

Tomorrow, Wednesday, May 7th, we will place on sale

456 TRIMMED HATS

Odds and Ends of Our Spring Season Styles.

These Hats are all of good material and first-class workmanship and style. They range in price from **$5.00** to **$10.00**, and to close them out AT ONCE and make room for our very large summer stock we will sell them all at one price. Come and take your choice at

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Will entertain little folk who get the

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Of the NEXT

SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH

No Sunday newspaper has so many and such interesting novelties. See the rainbow illusion; it is an inexplicable marvel.

"Cash Prices on a Credit Plan."

THE BIGGEST KIND OF A SUCCESS!

It surprises us—this instantaneous success of our new credit plan. Furniture buyers believed us when we advertised to sell goods on credit without charging an additional 10, 15 or 25 per cent on account of the accommodation—people came and compared our prices—we guess that's the reason for our success

CARPET DEPARTMENT

Everything new in color and pattern is first shown in our Carpet Department. Quality is always first—you're sure to get the newest and best here.

Item	Price
BRUSSELS CARPET, per yard..........	45c
VELVET CARPET, per yard..........	85c
BRUSSELS RUGS, size 9x12, select patterns..	$9.95
VELVET RUGS, size 9x12, new styles.......	$16.95

Large line of Wilton and Axminster Rugs, Linoleums, Mattings, Lace Curtains, etc.

Sanitary Iron Folding Bed

Just like cut, this week only.......... $6.49

Refrigerator,

All galvanized iron lined, an ice saver.......... $4.98

Gas Ranges, best made.......... $10.00 UP

Solid Oak Chair, cane seat, just like cut.. 49c

DINING-ROOM SET, Sideboard, 6 chairs, 6-foot extension table -- all solid oak, only $19.95

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Open till 9:30 p. m. on Saturdays.

Special inducements to parties going housekeeping

A nice present with each outfit.

Nature Smiling
While Thousands Suffer.

Paine's Celery Compound

The Great Spring Health Giver Makes Sick People Well.

A Prominent Clergyman Tells How He Escaped from His Deadly Perils.

When spring comes with its gentle showers, its balmy air, its bright sunshine and bursting buds, it too often brings to our homes scenes of suffering and physical decay.

The seeds of disease which were imperceptibly germinating during the winter months, have developed and planted in the system dangers that now call for our instant care and attention. Neglect and procrastination will only deepen existing perils and lead to death.

Before the advent of spring, you must have noted symptoms, perhaps of indigestion, dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, kidney disease, liver complaint, functional irregularities or nervous disorders.

Take warning sufferers! the symptoms you experience are signals of disease. Delay not another day: hesitation and indecision on your part may forever seal your fate. If you have already made efforts to banish your troubles by the use of other medicines and the treatment of physicians, and these have failed, we counsel you to put your full trust in that great disease banisher, Paine's Celery Compound. Its use for a week or two will convince you that you have truly commenced a new existence. Rev. W. E. Aldridge, a leading and prominent clergyman of Birmingham, Ala., says:

"I had been afflicted for ten years with what I thought to be heart disease, but after having the physicians examine me, I learned that I was almost dead from indigestion. They told me they could give me medicine that would relieve me, but there was no permanent cure. Then I began using Paine's Celery Compound, which gave me immediate relief, and I am now well and enjoying good health. I can recommend Paine's Celery Compound to be the best medicine for all ailments; if people will use the Compound freely, they will have no doctors' bills to pay."

Diamond Dyes are the simplest dyes made. A child can use them.

WAITER, SUICIDE BY ROPE ROUTE

MITTENDORF AND HIS WIFE HAD BEEN SEPARATED.

BROODED OVER HIS TROUBLES

He Was Dead When Found by a Boarder at 509 South Broadway at Noon.

Henry Mittendorf, a waiter, hanged himself at his boarding house, 509 South Broadway, Tuesday noon.

He was dead when found.

He separated from his wife two weeks ago, and this is said to be responsible for his action.

Mittendorf brooded over his domestic difficulties and Tuesday he secured a rope.

After attaching one end to a beam in an out-building, he tied the other end about his neck and jumped off a soap box.

The body was discovered by a boarder at the place.

KALTER NOT GUILTY.

Court Clears Him of Offense for Which Merchants' Exchange Expelled Him.

By order of the court Tuesday a jury declared Adolph Kalter not guilty of the charge of taking grain from cars.

Kalter was a member of the Merchants' Exchange. On Sept. 10 last he was charged with having taken 100 bushels of oats from a car consigned to the Parrott-Baxter Grain Co. He was expelled form the Merchants' Exchange for the offense.

When the state finished its evidence Tuesday, Judge Ryan said that there was no case against him and he instructed the jury to acquit.

AN HONEST FRIEND.
Cleared Away the Family Troubles.

There is not one thing on earth that could enter a family and do as much honest good and bring as much happiness as in certain cases where coffee drinking is left off and Postum Food Coffee used in its place.

A family in Iowa Park, Tex., furnishes a good illustration. The mother says: "I want to tell you what happened in our family when we left off coffee and took up Postum. About eight months ago we made the change. I had been, for quite a while, troubled with rheumatism in my right hip and shoulder, swimming of the head and fluttering of the heart, so I thought I had heart trouble.

"Sometimes in walking my head would swim so that I would be obliged to sit down. I had other disagreeable feelings I cannot describe, but they will be readily understood by coffee drinkers if they will confess it.

"My family were also more or less ill and were all coffee drinkers. Well, we gave up the coffee and started in on Postum Food Coffee; husband, myself and four children. Even the two year old baby (she had been puny since having the grip), had her coffee along with the rest of the family. When we made the change to Postum she began to fatten and now is perfectly healthy and fat as a pig.

"My boys, 10 and 12 years of age, are so stout and muscular that people remark about them and ask what makes them so. I do not have any more trouble with rheumatism or with my head, neither does my husband, who was troubled much in the same way. We are all in better health every way than we have been before in years and we are always glad of an opportunity to recommend Postum. I hope what I have said will lead others to make the change." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

DEWEY AND MILES AGAIN HUMBLED

Not Permitted to Receive the French Cross.

ROOSEVELT, IT IS SAID, FORBIDS

FRANCE DESIRED TO HONOR TWO FAMOUS AMERICANS.

Ambassador Cambon Was Instructed to See the President and Notify Him of the Wish of the French Republic.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 6.—The Washington correspondent of a New York paper asserts that President Roosevelt has intimated to the French government that he does not think it desirable for that government to confer the cross of the Legion of Honor upon Admiral Dewey and Lieutenant-General Miles.

Notification that the cross would be conferred upon Admiral Dewey and Lieutenant-General Miles was taken to the White House by M. Cambon, the French ambassador. France desired to commemorate the ceremonies connected with the unveiling of the Rochambeau statue to occur here on May 24, and she believed it would be a graceful act of courtesy to select prominent Americans for membership of her Legion of Honor.

It is said the President received the announcement with surprise. So far as Admiral Dewey was concerned, he said, there would be no objection, but it could not be thought of in the case of Gen. Miles. The President finally suggested to the ambassador that he be allowed a few days in which to consider the matter.

President Roosevelt discussed the proposal with Secretary Root and Secretary Hay and, it is said, conferred with several senators in whose judgment he has confidence. He came to the conclusion that it would be unwise to consent to the decoration of two officers whom he had reprimanded, and one of whom was upon terms of hostility with his administration—at least, this is the explanation of friends of Gen. Miles and Admiral Dewey.

When the ambassador next called at the White House he was informed the decision had been reached not to consent to conferring the honor upon either officer.

According to the statement of the officer, the action of the President has caused much surprise and unfavorable comment. It is held that the wishes of France should have been complied with, and that Mr. Roosevelt has not only shown bad taste, but has exceded his authority by his attitude.

VOLCANO CAUSES DISASTER

Factories Have Been Destroyed and 150 Persons Have Disappeared During the Eruption.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., May 6.—The flow of lava from the volcano of Mont Pelee, on the island of Martinique, which began Saturday last, completely destroyed the Guerin factories, situated about two miles from St. Pierre, the principal town of Martiniquqe.

It is reported that about 150 persons have disappeared.

A great panic prevails at St. Pierre.

CHILDREN'S NEW PLAY

"Nod," Written by Miss Rosalind Mahler, Will Be Produced for a Children's Hospital Benefit.

Children are rehearsing diligently for the forthcoming production of "Nod," a two-act play abounding in many pretty fancy dances, ballet drills and popular songs of the day.

The play was written especially for this occasion by Miss Rosalind Mahler, who, together with her father, Jacob Mahler, has aranged the various features.

The play will be given for the benefit of the Martha Parsons Free Hospital for Children at the Century Theater, Friday night, May 16, and two Saturday matinees, 17th and 24th. Vogel's full orchestra has been engaged.

The costuming of the play will be a revelation to many St. Louisans. Children from 4 to 14 years of age will take part. Already at this date 14 private boxes have been sold. Seats and tickets will be on sale Monday morning, May 12, at the Century box office.

The "Katy" Oil Company

Sent a banker to Beaumont to investigate the "Katy's" holdings. He purchased 45,000 shares at par. Write 208 Rialto building for particulars.

HOTEL CLERK AND GUEST WED

R. T. Davis of the Normandie and Mrs. Clara Fields Eloped to East Side.

Day Clerk Roger T. Davis of the Hotel Normandie, Franklin and Theresa avenues, was married last Saturday in East St. Louis to Mrs. Clara I. Fields, a wealthy guest at the Normandie.

The marriage was a surprise to Manager Trumper and everybody else about the hotel, though it was known that young Mr. Davis and the handsome widow were excellent friends.

Davis, until Sunday, was night clerk. He had held that position two months, during which time he became acquainted with Mrs. Fields and the acquaintanceship ripened rapidly.

He went away, after going off duty last Saturday morning, and did not reappear at the hour for resuming work Saturday night. A substitute was put on in his place.

When the night clerk made his appearance at last, Sunday night, he was told to see the manager.

"I guess you've lost your job," volunteered the porter.

"I guess not," replied the young man. "I'll bet you a cigar I get promoted."

Next day Davis, bridegroom, became day clerk, having shown the manager a marriage certificate made out by Rev. J. W. Van Cleve of 707 Summit avenue, East St. Louis.

Mrs. Fields, for four months, had been the "star boarder," or guest. Richly gowned and wearing jewels, she entertained lavishly. A few days before her marriage she removed to the Granville, another family hotel, under the same management, only a block away. With her husband she now occupies room No. 13 at the Granville.

"But it will be a lucky number, I think," said the hopeful and happy young bridegroom.

In a few days Mr. and Mrs. Davis will depart for the East, Mr. Davis being a Bostonian. They expect to pass the summer on the Maine coast.

NEW LAW GOVERNING CARS.

Draft to Be Submitted to the Committee on Railroads Tuesday Night.

A proposed new law to regulate the operation of street cars has been drafted by Associate City Counselor Woerner, and the bill will be submitted to the committee on railroads of the City Council at a meeting Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Woerner was obliged to compile all existing laws governing the street railway companies in order to prepare the bill. It was found that many of the laws conflicted, and it was necessary to eliminate these conflicting sections and insert other provisions.

Mr. Woerner has been at work on the bill for several months.

ANOTHER MEMORABLE WEDNESDAY

ON SALE FROM 8 TO 10 A. M.

Doylies—Odds and ends of 7x7 inch Hemstitched Doylies—cut-out work—Battenberg patterns—Colored Linen Doylies, etc.—worth to 10c—from 8 to 10, on third floor—each.......... 1c

Embroidery Silk—Best make—washable—good colors—Filo, Rope, Roman and Twist Wash Silks—usually 5c—from 8 to 10, on third floor—per skein.......... 1c

Thread—Black or white Machine Thread in all numbers—from 8 to 10, at 10c per dozen, or, per spool.......... 1c

Talcum Powder—Perfumed and borated—can with perforated top—usually sold at 10c—from 8 to 10, at..........2 CANS FOR 5c

Hose Supporters—Ladies', Misses' and Children's—white or black—rubber buttons—good webbing—worth to 20c—for 2 hours, at..........2 PAIR FOR 5c

Towels—Seconds of bleached and unbleached Turkish Bath Towels—sizes up to 25x52 inches—worth 30c—from 8 to 10, in basement, each.......... 15c

Muslin—3 cases of fine yard wide Cambric Muslin—similar to Lonsdale Cambric and well worth 10c—from 8 to 10, in basement—per yard.......... 5c

Toweling—Heavy 18-inch all-linen Barnsley Roller Toweling—usual price 12½c—from 8 to 10, in basement—per yard.......... 7½c

Wrappers—About 1000 Ladies' fancy printed Lawn house Wrappers. These garments are nicely made up with white yoke and flounce skirts—worth 98c—from 8 to 10, in basement—each.......... 49c

Silkoline—36-inch plain mercerized Silkoline—suitable for comforts, lambrequins, screens, etc.—regular price 12½c—from 8 to 10, on third floor, per yard.......... 4c

Linings—Mill ends of Percalines, Silesias, Sateens, Taffetas, Skirtings, etc.—worth up to 25c—from 8 to 10, in basement—per yard.......... 5c

Window Shades—Seconds of Opaque Shades, mounted on spring rollers—with fixtures complete—imperfections slight—worth 39c if perfect—from 8 to 10, on third floor, each.......... 12c

Laces—Torchon edges and insertions, up to 2 inches wide and worth fully 7½c—in basement, from 8 to 10, per yard.......... 1½c

Neckwear—Ladies' washable and Silk Collars, Ties, and stocks—in white and colors—worth to 50c—choice at main floor lace department, from 8 to 10, at, each.......... 10c

Chambray Gingham—Highly mercerized—all colors, permanent finish—regular price 25c—from 8 to 10, on main floor—per yard.......... 12½

Silks—27-inch Black China Silk—24-inch thin Black Silk Crepe—50c qualities—choice from 8 to 10, on main floor—per yard.......... 25c

Ladies' Waists—Of Percale, in pink, blue, lavendar, red and black and white stripes—full fronts—sizes 22 to 42—usually sold at 50c and 60c—from 8 to 10, on second floor, each.......... 25c

Lace Curtains—200 pairs Cable Net, French Guipure and Saxony Lace Curtains, 2 yards long and 54 to 60 inches wide—from 5 to 10 pairs of a kind—just the things for small windows and the new style Sash Curtains. Worth if full length up to $6.00 a pair—from 8 to 10, on third floor, per curtain.......... 25c

Teck Scarfs—Four in Hands and Band Bows, for men's wear—really worth up to 35c—choice from 8 to 10 at, each.......... 9c

Slippers—Women's Turkish bedroom Slippers, of red, brown or black kid—really worth 75c—choice, in basement, per pair.......... 29c

Clocks—Nickeled Alarm Clocks—warranted—sold elsewhere at $1.00—on our fourth floor, from 8 to 10—each.......... 53c

Wash Suits—For boys of 3 to 8 years—sailor blouse and knee pants—fast color stripes and linen crashes—with prettily trimmed collars—regular $1 Suits—on third floor, from 8 to 10—each.......... 65c

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Fastest Growing Store in America. Broadway and Washington.

Another Day of Extraordinary Values In

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Extra Special—Ladies' Gowns of fine Muslin—yokes trimmed with lace insertion, tucks and finished with lace—others with tucks and embroidery—three styles to select from—made wide and full, worth at least 59c—from 8 to 10 on second floor at 3 gowns for $1.00 or, each.......... 35c

CHOICE 69¢

Gowns of very fine cambric and nainsook, three styles, exactly like cut; Empire, V-shape and high neck; beautifully trimmed with lace and colored stitching, embroidery and ribbons; also 20 other equally attractive styles.

Petticoats of good cambric—knee flounce of India Linen, finished with two insertions of Torchon Lace; lace flounce and dust flounce; others just as attractively trimmed with deep embroidery flounces.

Corset Covers of fine Nainsook, tucked backs, some short at waist, with several rows of Point de Paris lace, others with fine Nainsook embroidery, some fasten at the back.

Drawers of extra quality cambric and nainsook—some trimmed with 3 rows of hemstitching and Point de Paris lace; others with Val. insertion or dainty colored stitching and Val. lace, or with blind embroidery.

Garments worth up to $1.25—your choice Wednesday at

69c

Gowns of fine nainsook and cambric—low neck and short flowing sleeves; some open in front; others slip over head; trimmed with Torchon and Medici laces; hemstitched tucks; about 15 styles, in V-shape, Empire shape, etc.

Drawers of fine quality nainsook and long cloth, with deep ruffle of blind embroidery; others with exquisite lace insertion and lace flounces.

Petticoats of dainty cambric—knee flounce of India Linen; wide Torchon lace insertion; others have deep embroidery and hemstitched flounce; all with dust flounces.

Garments worth up to $1.75—your choice at only

98c

ON SALE FROM 10 TO 12 A. M.

Laces—English and French Torchon Edges and Insertions up to 5 inches wide—regular price 12½c—from 10 to 12, in basement, per yard.......... 3½c

Cushion Tops of art cloth, with colored Turkish and other bright patterns—worth 25c—from 10 to 12, on third floor, each.......... 5c

Webbing—Fancy silk stitched Garter Webbing, in good colors—worth 19c a yard—from 10 to 12, we offer a ¾-yard length for.......... 5c

Jewelry—Odd lot of Lace, Belt, Sash and Hat Pins—lorgnette chains, chain bracelets, etc.—articles worth up to 75c—from 10 to 12, at, each.......... 5c

Gas Mantles—The well-known "Cosmopolitan" Mantle—first quality—from 10 to 12, on our fourth floor, at, each.......... 8c

Stationery—Superfine cream laid papers in octavo and commercial sizes—ruled or plain—102 sheets to a pound—worth 20c—from 10 to 12, pound. 10c

Lawn—Fine and sheer solid black lawn, in lengths up to 10 yards—worth 12½c—in basement, from 10 to 12, per yard.......... 5c

Percale—Best 36-inch Percales in new and pretty patterns—would be cheap at 12½c—from 10 to 12, in basment, per yard.......... 6c

Skirtings—36-inch all-wool white embroidered Flannel Skirtings, with hemstitched or scalloped edges—regular price 85c—in basement, from 10 to 12, per yard.......... 48c

Sheets—9-4 size bleached Sheets, of genuine New York mills sheeting—81x90 inches, not counting the 3-inch hem—worth 75c—from 10 to 12, in basement, each.......... 50c

Scarfs—Irish Point or Embroidered Spachtel Scarfs and Squares—slightly soiled or worth to 39c—from 10 to 12, on our third floor, each.......... 10c

Handkerchiefs—Hemstitched Linen Handkerchiefs, with elaborately embroidered initials—worth 50c, but being somewhat soiled and mussed we offer them from 10 to 12 at, each.......... 10c

Door Panels—Scotch Lace Panels in Irish Point and Brussels designs—really worth 50c—on third floor, from 10 to 12, at, each.......... 12½c

Chatelaine Bags—An odd lot of leather bags and also some Pocketbooks—goods that sell regularly up to 75c—choice here from 10 to 12, at, each.......... 15c

Soap—Large 35c bar of pure Castile Soap—white or green—just from 10 to 12, on main floor, per bar.......... 15c

Mull—Printed silk warp mulls in pretty Dresden effects—actual value is fully 45c—from 10 to 12, on main floor, per yard.......... 20c

Soap—Procter & Gamble's "Lenox" Soap—from 10 to 12, on our fourth floor, we will sell..........10 Bars for 25c

Boys' Waists—Ages 6 to 12 years—of best fast-colored percale—laundered—with collars, cuffs and patent waistbands—slightly soiled but worth 75c—choice on third floor, from 10 to 12, at.......... 25c

27-inch Combination All-Overs, of embroidered and dotted swiss, with insertions of Val. lace—worth up to $1.00—just from 10 to 12, on main floor, per yard.......... 27c

Men's Shirts—Madras Negligee Shirts in new and pretty patterns—really worth 75c—from 10 to 12 the price will be.......... 45c

Taffeta—Guaranteed black taffeta—warranted not to cut or break—75c quality—from 10 to 12, on main floor, per yard.......... 59c

Summer Portieres—Large reversible Madras Portieres in handsome stripes—actually worth up to $3.00—from 10 to 12, on third floor, per pair.......... 98c

At 3 O'Clock Wednesday

A single case of finest imported Pique Suiting with beautiful fast colored stripes on white grounds—very desirable for summer skirts and well worth 30c—promptly at 3 o'clock in our basement, per yard.......... 12½c

NECK AND NECK FOR FIRST PLACE

CONTESTANTS FOR PRESIDENCY OF WOMAN'S CLUBS.

MRS. DECKER VS. MRS. DENISON

The First Named Is From Colorado, While the Second Is New York's Candidate.

LOS ANGELES, May 6.—The political outlook this morning at the woman's conference is that Mrs. Decker of Colorado and Mrs. Denison of New York are running neck and neck for the presidency. Mrs. Decker's reiterated statement not to interfere with the chances of the New York woman has apparently had no effect on her following and state after state has offered her allegiance.

Mrs. Denison is not at all perturbed over the change and would throw her influence to Mrs. Decker if to anyone, and her still loyal friends are in every way trying to advance the interests of their candidates.

The possibility of the presidency coming west, which was not marked at the opening of the convention, has unsettled the promoters of candidates for the secondary officers and the Burdette forces seem to have scattered somewhat since California women have not been a unit in her candidacy for a chief office, though many continue to believe she will catch whatever plum is thrown to the hostess' state.

Utah is one of the 19 federal states that have not had an office in the general federation, and they are beginning to protest loudly against their lack of representation. Utah will be satisfied with a position on the board, and for this place Mrs. W. A. Nelden of Salt Lake is prominently mentioned.

Minnesota is announcing Mrs. Lydia H. Williams for the presidency; Kansas is pushing Mrs. Mary Vance Humphrey for first vice-president, while delegates mentioned for minor offices are numerous.

The second business session met this morning with the house crowded.

School Art Society Flourishes.

The East St. Louis Public School Art Society Monday night appropriated $20 more towards the purchase of pictures for the public schools. The date of the annual meeting was changed from the first Monday in June to the first Monday in October, at which time a public reception will be held.

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So Many Things Going On in the Three Rings That the Mind Becomes Bewildered.

And they saw the ellyfunt,
And they heard the wild boar grunt,
And they watched the monkeys monkey with their tails,
And they took the kids from schools
Just to see the animules—
It's a circus trick that never, never fails.

With three rings—three, count 'em—the Ringling Bros.' circus began a week's engagement in Handlan Park Monday, with afternoon and evening performances.

And all the time during the performance hours these three rings, and the platforms between them, and the spaces between the rings and the spectators, were vivd with action. There were so many things going on at one and the same time that the eyes of Amaryllis and Algernon were in danger of going into strabismus in trying to see everything and get their money's worth.

But at times there were performances so superior that one ring or plaform held the whole attention of the crowd. One of these was the appearance of Capt. Webb's company of awkward looking, deft juggling, wonder working seals. (So the program described them.) These seven seals were the seven wonders of the world for the time being. They resolved themselves into an orchestra and played as good music as the brass band back at home. They became artillerymen and fired cannon. They juggled with comic chapeaus and they ate more fish during the performance than Isaak Walton could catch out of the River Des Peres in a week of Sundays—provided he fished on Sunday.

The Nelson family—ten of 'em—formed another attraction that withdrew attention even from the flour-faced clown who had fireworks in his hat. The Nelsons are acrobats. Men, women and children, and they can turn every trick known to the carpet.

Albert Crandall, the clown who rode the Missouri mule, extracted the laugh without using forceps.

The fifteen performing elephants showed more than human intelligence, being able to do things without talking about them.

In bareback riding, trapeze work, equilibrists and contortionists the Ringling circus is rich, and of clowns there is a whole troupe. The menagerie is unusually large, with many rare specimens of animals, giving plenty of excuse for taking the children to learn natural history.

DOUBLE WEDDING OF COUSINS

Misses Wagoner and Smith to Become Brides at Wagoner Place M. E. Church Tuesday Evening.

There will be a double wedding at Wagoner Place Methodist Episcopal Church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in which all the eight members of the Fudge Club will be represented, two as brides and the others as attendants.

Miss Nellie P. Wagoner of 1701 Wagoner place will become the wife of Harry A. Woerman of St. Louis. Her friend, Miss Alto M. Smith of Atlanta, Ga., will be the bride of George R. Wilson of New York.

Miss Smith has spent five years in St. Louis with Miss Wagoner, who is her cousin, during which time both young ladies have been graduated from Forest Park University.

Two years ago she spent the summer at Asbury Park, N. J., with her parents, at a hotel owned by Mr. Wilson. The young people met and courted at the famous summer resort.

Miss Smith's maid of honor will be Miss Byrde Shehan and her bridemaids Misses Ida Smith and Stella Griffith. For Miss Wagoner the maid of honor will be Miss Lulu Smith and the bridemaids Misses Nellie Whitaker and Marion Griffith.

The parents of Miss Smith and of Mr. Wilson have come to St. Louis to attend the wedding.

Sunday Excursions on Big Four Ry., May 11, to Bunker Hill, Pana, Litchfield, Hillsboro, Shelbyville, Mattoon and way stations. Tickets at Broadway and Chestnut and station. Train leaves 8:32 a. m.

Wanted at Monmouth, Ill.

SPOKANE, Wash., May 6.—J. S. Avoy, wanted at Monmouth, Ill., on a charge of criminal assault, alleged to have been committed there about six months ago, has been captured at Fairfield, Wash., by Sheriff Taylor of Monmouth.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup re- duces inflammation while children are teething.

Charged With Stuffing Ballots.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., May 6.—W. W. Ferguson, one of the judges at the school election in Victor, has been arrested on a charge of stuffing the ballot box. Half a dozen persons state that they witnessed the casting of the illegal ballots, but Ferguson protested his innocence.

DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder

Each time the United States Government has officially tested the baking powders the report has shown Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder to be of superlative leavening strength, free from alum, absolutely pure and wholesome.

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WEDNESDAY ALL DAY

Or as long as the lots last, we will offer the following random items, culled from our various departments, at prices that will undoubtedly pack and jam the store. As some of the lots are limited in quantity you should make it your business to get here bright and early if you desire to partake of this rare bargain feast.

Ladies' Oxford Ties—full patent leather and vici kid with patent tips—hand-turned and McKay sewed—close and extension edges—light and medium weight soles—the newest styles—sizes 2½ to 8—A, B, C, D and E widths—Famous price.......... 1.50

Ladies' Kid Opera Slippers—good styles—medium weight—sizes 3 to 8—Wednesday, at Famous.......... 50c

Infants' Soft Sole Lace Shoes—assorted colors—sizes 1 to 3—35c kind—Wednesday at Famous.......... 15c

500 Pairs Men's Pants—neat gray hair line stripes—genuine Redding Cassimeres—extra well made and perfect fitting—worth $2.00—Wednesday at Famous.......... 1.00

Table Damasks—Full 72 inches wide—Bleached—positively the equal of any 60c Damask in the market—at, yard.......... 43c

Napkins—Job lot—in half dozens—5-8 and 3-4 sizes—napkins worth $1.25 to $2.00 a dozen—the half dozen for.......... 53c

Bleached Muslin—An extra good 7c grade—36 in. wide—10-yard limit—yard.......... 4½c

Mill Ends of Unbleached Muslin—2 to 10 yards in piece—the 5c kind for.......... 2½c

Men's, Women's and Children's Umbrellas—24, 26 and 28-inch—steel rod, fast black gloria—plain and silver trimmed handle—worth 50c and 59c—Wednesday, at Famous.......... 25c

Lexon Soap—Wednesday, 10 bars for.......... 25c

White Cups and Saucers—6 pair, worth 48c—Wednesday, at Famous.......... 19c

22-inch Galvanized Wash Tubs—worth 75c—Wednesday, at Famous.......... 55c

Post-Dispatch Pictures—framed up in neat 1-inch gold moldings—full size—special Wednesday.......... 25c

500 pieces Ribbons—all pure silk Taffeta—high luster on both sides—3 inches wide—every desirable color—15c quality—Wednesday, at Famous, yard.......... 10c

Ammonia—double-strength household Ammonia—25c quart bottles—Wednesday at Famous.......... 10c

4000 yards Hair Ribbons—all pure silk—plain Taffetas and fancy stripes—all colors—regular 6c kind—Wednesday, at Famous, yard.......... 3c

20 dozen Wash Waists—fine ginghams in pretty striped designs with embroidery turn-overs, made full and perfect fitting; also white Lawn Waists with embroidery insertions and tucks—regular $1.00 values—Wednesday, at Famous—and only one to a customer.......... 59c

25 dozen Wash Petticoats—in black and white stripe designs—cut full, with deep umbrella flounce—nicely hemmed—all lengths—regular 65c value—Wednesday at Famous.......... 29c

20 dozen fine Wash Petticoats—made of excellent quality gingham, in corded and striped patterns—oxblood, blue, steel and green—deep flounce, trimmed with rows of white bands or four shirred ruffles—a splendid $1.50 petticoat—Wednesday at Famous.......... 95c

18 dozen House Wrappers—made of percales and lawn—cut full over hips—deep flounce—well made—oxblood, blue and lavender ground on light patterns—usually sell at $1.00 and $1.25—Wednesday at Famous.......... 59c

Men's Genuine Bleached Drilling Drawers—B. V. D. Cut—with knit and string ankles—double stitched throughout—all sizes—50c quality—Wednesday.......... 25c

Men's Laundered Negligee Shirts—in plain and pleated bosoms—light blues, pinks, plain white and assorted colorings—sizes 14 to 17—75c value—Wednesday.......... 39c

300 Children's Gingham Dresses—neatly trimmed with ruffles and braid—blue and white, pink and white, checks and stripes—sizes 1 to 4 years—worth 49c—Wednesday, at Famous.......... 29c

Ladies' Vests—Richelieu rib—low neck—no sleeves—silk ribbon at neck and arms—all sizes—12½c values—Wednesday at Famous.......... 8c

400 Children's Dresses—manufacturers' samples—made of fine gingham, lawn, linen and percale—lace or embroidery trimmed—the latest designs and colorings—Wednesday at Famous.......... 49c to 1.69

Ladies' White Vests—Richelieu rib—low neck—no sleeves—lace yoke—worth 25c—Wed. at Famous.......... 15c

Ladies' Pants—white or ecru—made with French yoke band—cut full size and very wide at knee—lace trimmed—a good 39c value—Wednesday at Famous.......... 25c

Shirt Waist Sets—3-piece jeweled Waist Sets—oval and heart shapes—very dainty—worth 15c—Wednesday at Famous.......... 5c

5000 Fancy Japanese Folding Fans—various decorations—values up to 12c—Wednesday at Famous.......... 5c

50 Pieces All Wool Alabatross—35 inches wide—a complete line of colorings from which to choose—45c is the regular price—Wednesday at Famous—yard.......... 27c

10 Pieces All Silk Black Taffeta—36 inches wide—it's the kind that sells for $1.00 yard all over St. Louis—Wednesday at Famous—yard.......... 69c

10 Pieces Black Cheviot—50 inches wide—a strictly all-wool fabric and an excellent 75c quality—Wednesday at Famous—yard.......... 48c

56-piece Tea Sets—Pink decoration—good quality china—worth $4.50—Wednesday at Famous.......... 2.48

500 pieces of these beautiful Novair Novelty Lawns—a pretty, sheer, evenly woven fabric—patterns and colorings that would do credit to most 25c lines—you'll admit them equal to 10c goods—Wednesday at Famous—yard.......... 4c

Wash Fabrics—Genuine imported Dimities, handsome Cable Cord and plain weave Batistes, Madras and 32-inch Zephyrs—most beautiful patterns—regular 25c qualities—Wednesday at Famous—yd.......... 15c

Boys' Shirts—Sizes 12 to 14½—made from cheviots and madras, in this spring's choicest colorings—"Pembrook" brand—always 50c—Wednesday at Famous.......... 35c

Boys' Vestee Suits—Ages 3 to 9 years—small collared coat with rounded front and cute little vest of same material—just the right suit for spring wear—coat and pants are shaped so as to be worn with belt and negligee blouse during the hot weather—about 300 of these suits—not many of any one kind, but all sizes in the lot—the sort that sells at $3.00 and $3.50—Wednesday at Famous.......... 1.85

Ladies' Hose.

Ladies' Imported Black Gauze hose—just the thing for hot weather—every pair warranted and stamped "Louis Hermsdorf, Dyer"—double sole and extra high spliced heel and toe — well worth the regular price, 35c—Wednesday, and not more than 6 pairs to a customer.......... 19c

In the Bargain Aisle

5 Cases White Goods—consisting of 2 to 15 yard lengths of 40-inch Lawns of a very fine and serviceable quality—regarded cheap at 10c yard—India Linons in sheer pretty 10c and 12½c grades and 40-inch colored Lawns, mostly pinks, blues and helios, that are worth 15c to 20c per yard—Wednesday at Famous, on Bargain Table No. 1—your choice of the entire lot at, yard.......... 5c

200 Men's Suits.

Fancy Mixed Cheviots—substantially tailored in single breasted sack style—sizes 34 to 44 chest measure—$7.50 and $8.50 values; Wednesday, at Famous.......... 5.00

LITTLE NELLIE FOUND HER AUNT

POST-DISPATCH STORY LED TO HAPPY REUNION.

TWO HAPPY SISTERS ALSO

Mrs. Cora Webster Had Looked in Vain for Several Days for Her Young Niece.

When little Nellie Goldesberry, bereft of money or friends, arrived at Union Station Saturday and failed to find Mrs. Cora Webster of West Twenty-third street, who had arranged to meet her there, her first impulse was to suggest to Matron Brown that "if the newspapers would say I'm looking for auntie, maybe she would find me."

Mrs. Brown at once conveyed the facts to the Post-Dispatch and following the publication of Nellie's story Monday evening her aunt hastened to the station.

Mrs. Webster reached St. Louis last Friday night and had been searching two days for her niece.

Nellie also stated that her sister, Ora Goldsberry, lived here.

Ora also read the story and the sisters who had not seen each other for several years were reunited.

Nellie lived at Salem, Ill. Her parents died a year ago and the woman with whom she had made her home was no longer able to care for her.

Mrs. Webster was coming west and she wrote to Nellie telling her that she could live at her home.

OBJECT TO RAILROAD YARDS

West Enders Hold Meeting and Protest Against Rock Island Road Purchase of Land.

The purchase of land on Union and De Giverville avenues by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad was the cause of a meeting of property owners and residents in that neighborhood at the Mercantile Club yesterday.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Boyd called the meeting to order. Sam Kennard was chosen chairman and Hugh McKittrick secretary. Dr. Boyd outlined the purpose of the meeting, and said that if the railroad was permitted to establish yards there it would lead others to buy land for a similar purpose.

In time, he said, that section of the city would be used for everything but an exclusive residence district, for which it had been designed. Washington University would suffer from the presence of the railroad so much that its property would be rendered worthless, he said, for university purposes.

Addresses were made by R. S. Brookings, Prof. W. S. Chaplin, Julius Pitzman and others.

Among those present at the meeting were George Warren Brown, D. B. Graham, Byron Nugent, John T. Davis, C. H. Huttig, Edwards Whitaker, B. J. Taussig, Benjamin Clark, R. McKittrick Jones and F. C. Bonsack.

ALUMNI ANNUAL BANQUET

Westminster College Entertains President McCracken and Other Distinguished Guests.

The annual banquet and meeting of the St. Louis Alumni Association of Westminster College was held Monday night at the Mercantile Club, with an attendance of about fifty.

A. B. Gavin presided, and at the table near him were: W. H. Wallace, J. H. McCracken, president of the Westminster College, and Judge H. S. Priest.

The event was notable for the excellency of the speeches and the rare taste evidenced in every particular. Some time was devoted to business, and the following officers were elected:

President, Rev. F. L. Ferguson; vice-presidents, C. O. Bishop, Charles O. Bates and John D. Gibson; secretary and treasurer, Charles R. Macfarlane; executive committee, C. O. Woodson, John F. Green, William E. Gavin, Rev. Walter M. Langtry.

Those present were: Rev. D. M. Skilling, D. D.; George Robertson, Dr. N. H. Spencer, Charles C. Nichols, William F. Broadhead, E. P. Manle, C. B. Renoe, A. B. Gavin, G. S. Maddox, Rev. J. F. Cannon, Rev. H. C. Evans, Dr. J. G. Moore, Roy Macfarlane, Dr. J. M. Grant, Rev. B. H. Charles, Rev. J. A. Gallagher, C. W. Bates, R. W. Edwin, Rev. F. L. Ferguson, C. D. Scott, Dr. R. R. Vaughan, Rev. Meade C. Williams, D. D.; Dr. H. M. Moore, R. M. White, M. G. Singleton, Rev. William J. Williamson, Judge S. P. Spencer, M. D. Lyle, William E. Gavin, B. H. Charles, John D. Gibson, W. P. Kennett, Rev. A. A. Wallace, Judge H. S. Priest, Dr. Joseph W. Charles, W. L. McDonald, C. O. Bishop, C. M. Napton, P. H. Woods, T. A. Buckland, Rev. Walter M. Langtry, F. D. Gordon, William C. McPanahan, L. A. Garnett.

Judge Zachritz Spoke.—Judge William Zachritz of the Circuit Court addressed Twenty-sixth ward Republicans Monday night on municipal government. He was followed by Val Sidmon and Louis Yengst.

BURLINGTON OFFICIAL DEAD

W. E. Cunningham, Superintendent of the "K" Line, Passed Away Tuesday Morning.

W. E. Cunningham, superintendent of the St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern Railroad, died at the Rebecca Hospital Tuesday morning.

He had been ill about six months and went to Hot Springs to benefit his health.

Mr. Cunningham was one of the oldest employes on the "K" line and had an army of friends. He made his headquarters at Hannibal, Mo. His widow is a daughter of Capt. W. G. Hill of the Eagle Packet Co.

The funeral arrangements have not been completed.

A clear skin is the work of a well-regulated digestion. Sulphogen relieves all stomach troubles or money refunded.

Rock Island's New Feeder.

GUTHRIE, O. T., May 6.—The old officials of the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf railway system, which was recently sold to the Rock Island, have filed a charter of reorganization here with the secretary of state with $1,000,000 capital stock and with Guthrie as the principal place of business. The charter states that the purpose is to perpetuate the name of the Choctaw, Oklahoma & Gulf and to protect its interests and holdings.

The 8 Hour Day

Which the working man has fought for and succeeded in obtaining is something the wife has no share in. Her day begins before his and ends long after it, as a rule, and many a night her rest is broken by the baby's fretfulness. The healthiest woman must wear out under such a strain. What can be expected then of those women who are weakened by womanly diseases?

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FR. CORRIGAN'S LIFE IS ENDED

New York's Archbishop Succumbs to Pneumonia.

RECOVERY SEEMED CERTAIN

RECEIVED POPE'S CONGRATULATIONS ON THE LAST DAY.

Vatican Rumors Indicated That a Cardinalate Was Soon to Be Given to Him, but Denial Was Made.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Archbishop Corrigan died last night of pneumonia, after an illness lasting 10 days.

Up to a few hours before his death, the belief was that he would recover.

His strength failed suddenly, however, and he sank rapidly.

During the day the archbishop received a message from the Vatican, containing the Pope's congratulation on his favorable condition and an expression of hope for his speedy recovery.

Vicar-General Joseph F. Mooney will administer the affairs of the diocese until Bishop Farley shall return from Europe. The Bishop will then take charge of them until the archbishop's successor shall be named.

Recently, it was rumored about the Vatican that Archbishop Corrigan was to receive a cardinalate at the May consistory, but this was denied.

Michael Augustine Corrigan, successor of Cardinal McCloskey as head of the archdiocese of New York, was the youngest wearer of the purple when he was consecrated Bishop of Newark in 1873. He was born in that city 62 years ago. At the wish of his mother he was sent to St. Mary's College at Wilmington, Del., then conducted by Vicar-General Reilly. From there he went to St. Mary's College at Emmitsburg, Md., and at once took a leading place in his classes. In his junior year he made a tour of Europe with his sister, whose influence had much to do with his choice of the priesthood as a vocation.

He was graduated in 1859 and soon after he sailed for Europe again with the intention of entering the North American College at Rome to study for the prisethood. He was one of the 12 students who entered when the college was opened. His progress was so rapid that as soon as the doors were thrown open he won a number of medals in competition, free to the students of the propaganda and the Irish and Greek colleges. He was ordained by Cardinal Patvizi in the Lateran Basilica on Sept. 19, 1863, a year before the close of his theological studies In 1864 the degree of doctor of divinity was conferred upon him.

When he returned to his native land a few months later Archbishop James Roosevelt Bayley, then bishop of Newark, appointed him professor of dogmatic theology and sacred scripture at Seton Hall College. Soon after he was made vice-president of the college, and in 1868 he succeeded Bishop McQuaid as president. In March, 1873, he was made bishop of Newark upon the recommendation of Bishop Bayley, who had been made archbishop and transferred to the see of Baltimore.

In September, 1880, Pope Leo elevated Bishop Corrigan to the office of coadjutor archbishop of the archdiocese of New York, with the right of succession in the archiepiscopate to Cardinal McCloskey. Upon the death of the latter prelate in 1886 Dr. Corrigan was installed archbishop.

The most stirring events in his career have had to do with the campaign he instituted against the Antipoverty Society, in which the late Dr. McGlynn, then pastor of St. Stephen's, in East Twenty-eighth street, was a conspicuous figure. Dr. McGlynn was finally deprived of his priestly functions, and Rev. Dr. Richard Lalor Burtsell, who acted as his ecclesiastical attorney, was sent to Kingston. The agitation, while it lasted, was acute and the vast parish of St. Stephen's was disrupted. But Dr. McGlynn acknowledged his faults in the end and was restored to the priesthood. When he died a few years ago he was the pastor of a church in Newburgh. Dr. Burtsell is still in Kingston, but he was recently restored to full favor by the archbishop and is now the archbishop's personal representative in the immediate neighborhood of his parish.

Dr. Corrigan was accounted one of the most learned prelates of the church in this country. Under his administration the diocese has grown tremendously in influence and importance.

THINK AMERICANS ARE AFRAID

Spaniards Believe Government Will Not Raise Maine Lest It Show Explosion Was Inside.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., May 6.—Mrs. D. M. Parry, wife of President Parry of the National Manufacturers' Association, who recently returned from Cuba, in a paper read here before a local society yesterday, stated the impression prevails at Havana that the United States government will not allow the wreck of the Maine to be raised for fear the assertions of the Spanish that the explosion was from the inside will be verified. She said:

"The Spaniards always contended that the magazine of the vessel exploded from some accidental cause and that the iron structure of the vessel would be found to be twisted outward, caused by the inside exploding force. We never permitted the Spaniards to participate in this investigation, that the honor of their nation might be shown to be guiltless of such an atrocious crime.

"It is expected that the government has a quiet knowledge of these facts, and rather than be placed in the humiliating position before the world of having begun a war without cause, the Maine will be permitted to remain at the bottom of Havana bay."

POISONER SURE OF VICTIM

Enough Found in Stomach To Kill Several Elephants and Police Have Murder Theory.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Cyanide of potassium killed Emil Dieckler, cigarmaker, who died in a saloon in Brooklyn. Dr. Charles Wuest, the coroner's physician, said he found in the man's stomach enough of the poison to have killed several elephants.

Henry B. Fassnacht and George Boyce, who drank and played dice with Dieckler, were remanded. Fassnacht was charged with homicide and Boyce was held as witness. Both denied having any knowledge of the cause of Dieckler's death.

The police contention is that Boyce said that Fassnacht said he was going to dope Dieckler to get back the money he had lost. How the man could have got possession of the poison is not explained.

A CLASSICAL PROGRAM.

Delightful Musicale Promised at the Conservatorium Thursday Evening.

Miss Nellie Will, pianist, and Miss Alice Layat, violinist, will be heard at the Conservatorium, 3631 Olive street, Thursday evening, when a program composed of classical music will be rendered.

O. Wade Fallert will render a piano solo. Miss Alice Layat will play a selection. Albert Pellaton will sing "Toreador," from Bizet's "Carmen." Mrs. Bensberg will render a contralto solo, and Miss Will and George Brazier will sing Lucantoni's "Night in Venice."

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Our regular $10.00 suits are in this lot—there are many styles in many materials—all new spring modes—silk lined coats—flare and flounce skirt—the skirts alone are worth the sale price of the entire suit.......... **$5.00**

$7.50 for $15.00 Tailor Suits.

Eton and Blouse Suits, made of fine all-wool cheviots, venetians and homespuns, in black, blue, castor and gray—thoroughly well tailored and finished—all have been $15 and some more—reduced to only.......... **$7.50**

$10.50 for $20.00 Tailor Suits.

Many gems at this popular price—Gibson, Eton and Blouse effects—coats are all silk lined—materials are cheviots, homespuns and venetians, in light gray, black, blue, medium gray and castor—flare flounce and serpentine skirts—our regular $18 and $20 suits to be cleared at, only.......... **$10.50**

$12.50 for $25.00 Tailor Suits.

All $22.50 and $25.00 Suits are in this lot—innumerable styles and materials—all colors—strictly high-class men-tailored garments—to be sold out at only.......... **$12.50**

$15.00 for $30.00 Tailor Suits.

At the popular price of $15 can be had many rare gems in suits that were $27.50 and $30—Eton, Gibson and Blouse styles—in this spring's newest materials and shades—flare flounce and serpentine skirts—many of which are silk lined—all marked to sell quickly at only.......... **$15.00**

This $10.00 Suit for $5.00.

Silk Coats at Half Price.

An importer's entire stock of Silk Coats, consisting of Etons, Blouses, "Coffee Coats" and Raglans, to be sold as follows:

$3.98	for Etons and Blouses worth $7.50.
$5.00	for Etons and Blouses worth $10.00.
$6.75	for Etons and Blouses worth $12.50.
$7.50	for Coffee Coats and Raglans worth $15.00.
$10.00	for Coffee Coats and Raglans worth $20.00.
$12.50	for Coffee Coats and Raglans worth $25.00.

Sample Wrappers at Half Price.

A manufacturer's sample line of Wrappers to be sold on Wednesday at 59c, 79c, 98c, $1.29 and $1.49—worth double.

New Box Pleated and Kilted Skirts.

In a complete assortment of materials and colorings, at $6.00, $7.50, $8.75, $10.00 and up to $16.50.

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Ten open stock patterns of best grade English Porcelain Dinnerware at cost and less. These patterns we intend to close out and have marked them at prices that will send them out of our China Department in a hurry.

Dinner Plates worth from	$1.25 to $2.00,	now 96c to $1.56
Breakfast Plates worth from	$1.10 to $1.75,	now 84c to $1.44
Tea Plates worth from	$1.00 to $1.45,	now 72c to $1.08
Soup Plates worth from	$1.10 to $1.75,	now 84c to $1.44
Preserve Plates worth from	88c to $1.00,	now 60c to 72c
Butter Plates worth from	35c to 55c,	now 24c to 36c
Large Meat Dishes worth from	$1 00 to $1.50,	now 73c to $1.12
Medium Meat Dishes worth from	45c to 69c,	now 34c to 53c
Small Meat Dishes worth from	35c to 30c,	now 12c to 23c
Covered Veg. Dishes worth from	81c to $1.25,	now 49c to 89c
Uncovered Veg. Dishes w'th from	25c to 33c,	now 18c to 25c
Soup Tureens worth from	$1.35 to $3.30,	now 75c to $1.75
Gravy Tureens worth from	$1.00 to $1.55,	now 67c to $1.19
Sauce Boats worth from	24c to 39c,	now 17c to 29c
Covered Butter Dishes worth from	54c to 90c,	now 39c to 59c
Pickle Dishes worth from	18c to 35c,	now 13c to 25c
Sugars worth	65c,	now 39c
Cream Pitchers worth from	20c to 35c,	now 15c to 26c
Cake Plates worth from	24c to 49c,	now 17c to 38c
Tea Cups & Saucers w'th from	$1.40 to $2.19,	now $1.08 to $1.56

Decorated Chamber Sets.

200 Decorated English Porcelain Chamber Sets—new goods received this season. To be sold at about half their regular value to make room for new goods.

Chamber Sets, 10 pieces, best English Porcelain, underglaze decorations, regular value $3.25; special, per set.......... **$2.24**

Chamber Sets, 10 pieces, best English Porcelain, assorted decorations, regular value $4; special, per set.......... **$2.75**

Chamber Sets and Jars, 12 pieces, richly decorated English Porcelain, new shapes and ornamentations; regular values $8.00 to $10; special, per set.... **$5.00**

Chamber Sets and Jars, 12 pieces, new shapes and designs, neat flower and gold decorations; regular value $12.00; special, per set.......... **$5.75**

Chamber Sets and Jars, 12 pieces, best English Porcelain, new shapes and patterns, flowers and gilt decorations, regular value $14.00; special, per set.......... **$7.00**

Haviland's French China.

Five patterns of Haviland's French China, rich decorations, to be closed out at less than cost price. An excellent opportunity to make up a set, or to replenish your stock of China at the lowest prices ever asked for this grade of goods.

Dinner Plates worth from	$4.50 to $8.79,	now $3.48 to $6.84 doz.
Breakfast Plates worth from	$4.00 to $8.55,	now $2.76 to $6.36 doz.
Tea Plates worth from	$3.25 to $6.99,	now $2.28 to $5.40 doz.
Bread & Butter Plates w'th f'm	$2.65 to $6.19,	now $1.80 to $4.68 doz.
Fruit Saucers worth from	$1.35 to $5.25,	now 96c to $4.00 doz.
Butter Plates worth from	80c to $3.02,	now 48c to $2.28 doz.
Meat Dishes, large, worth from	$3.50 to $8.25,	now $2.29 to $5.49 ea.
Meat Dishes, med., worth from	$1.45 to $4.25,	now 79c to $2.89 ea.
Meat Dishes, small, worth from	60c to $2.02,	now 39c to $1.35 ea.
Cov'd Veg. Dishes w'th from	$2.00 to $6.04,	now $1.49 to $3.98 ea.
Uncov'd Veg. Dishes w'th rom	$1.05 to $2.81,	now 69c to $1.79 ea.
Soup Tureens worth from	$3.65 to $10.70,	now $2.50 to $6.50 ea.
Gravy Tureens worth from	$2.00 to $5.75,	now $1.49 to $3.83 ea.
Butter Dishes worth from	$1.00 to $3.00,	now 67c to $2.00 ea.
Salad Bowls worth from	65c to $4.73,	now 43c to $3.19 ea.
Teapots worth from	$1.15 to $3.75,	now 79c to $2.49 ea.
Sugar Bowls worth from	45c to $4.35,	now 29c to $2.89 ea.
Cream Pitchers worth from	50c to $2.00,	now 37c to $1.35 ea.
Tea Cups and Saucers w'th from	$5 to $11.29,	now $3.84 to $8.28 doz.

Pouyat French China Dinner Sets, richly decorated with flowers and gold, complete service for twelve people; regular price $23.00; special, per set.......... **$12.98**

English Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, assorted shapes and decorations, in blue and green patterns, finished in gold; regular values $15.00; special, per set.......... **$8.98**

English Semi-Porcelain Dinner Sets, complete set for twelve persons, richly decorated in green underglaze decorations, regular value $10.50; special, per set.......... **$7.50**

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2 Rosenthal's China Dinner Sets, high-grade china and choice decorations, empire shape, complete service, two decorations, regular value $280.00; special, set.......... **$75.00**

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VIOLET RAY MACHINE READY

First Actinolite for Treatment of Cancers and Tubercular Diseases Installed in New York.

NEW YORK, May 6.—In one of the apartments of the lower hospital there has just been installed an expensive electrical apparatus, which resembles a powerful searchlight of a man-of-war.

It is known as an actinolite and is said to be the first complete instrument of its kind permanently set up in an American hospital. It is hoped to make a practical and thorough test of theory now widely accepted by scientists that powerfully concentrated chemical or actinic rays of violet colored light possess distinctly curative properties in cases of cancer, tuberculosis and other diseases having their supposed origin in bacteriological germs or parasites.

B. F. Kuhnhart, one of the trustees of the hospital, is the donor of the instrument and has paid the entire cost of its installation.

To test the newly installed apparatus, a private demonstration was made in the hospital. The first subject selected for a test was a boy suffering from what appeared to be a hopeless case of tuberculosis of the hip. During the exposure to the chemical rays of light the subject reclined upon a sort of divan not unlike an operating table and the diseased tissues were exposed to the rays directly focused upon them and concentrated by means of a powerful lens.

It is, of course, too early to predict results in the case.

In Vienna, Paris, Copenhagen and other cities of Europe treatment by means of the actinic rays has been systematically carried on for some months with results which its advocates believe are highly encouraging.

SAVING THE MILLERS.

CHICAGO May 6.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road has placed export flour on a level with wheat in the matter of transportation charges.

This action, it is said, will be followed by all western lines with similar rates and means a saving of millions yearly to the millers of the Northwest.

For years the millers have vigorously contended that if the rates were made the same on wheat and flour grain would not be taken from the United States, but would be made into flour here and then shipped for export. Strong appeals for relief have recently been made to President Roosevelt direct, to congressional committees and to the interstate commerce commission.

The rate from St. Paul and Minneapolis on both flour and export grain is now 20½ cents; formerly it was 23c on flour. The rate of 20½ cents applies to part lake and part rail shipments. From St. Paul the rate on flour for export by all-rail is 25 and on grain 17½ cents.

Drowned in Shallow Water.

Nicholas Joekel, an aged carpenter, living at Des Peres, St. Louis County, met his death in a shallow pool in Glaze creek Monday. His body was discovered by school children Monday morning. It was lying under the Manchester road bridge and in 18 inches of water.

It is supposed Joekel fell from the bridge and drowned while stunned. Dr. Armstrong of St. Louis County conducted an inquest and a verdict of death by accident was returned.

Mr. Joekel was 66 years old and had lived in the Des Peres neighborhood 45 years. Several children survive him.

Driver Seriously Injured.—James Graevellen, 23 years old, a driver in the employ of the Columbia Brewing Co., was seriously injured yesterday in a collision between his wagon and an Easton avenue car. He is suffering from concussion of the brain.

IN TORRENT OF HOT METAL

Four Men Killed and Four Badly Injured in a Steel Foundry.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 6.—Four men were killed, two fatally injured and two others terribly burned by being caught in a torrent of molten metal last night in an open hearth pit at the Pennsylvania Steel Works, Steelton, near here. All of the men were Austrians. The men were at work in a pit behind the "chockers" when the iron ore boiled over or the furnace burned out and the entire pit was turned into a pool of fire.

The pit boss, Charles F. Lockett, gave a cry of warning as the iron commenced to flow into the pit and three of the laborers heeded his cry and escaped fatal injury. The others, thinking evidently that the overflow was a slight one, similar to those which occur frequently at the furnaces, pressed against the side of the pit and were caught in the awful flood.

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There are plenty of cattle in Mexico and Canada, but they cannot pass the high tariff wall.

Chief Desmond ought to try a safe deposit box of boodle on Kratz. That would draw him across the border.

Dr. Patton says we have more liberty than we know what to do with. This may be true, but we do not care to give any of it to the Filipinos.

Why do not Gov. Dockery of Missouri and Gov. Curiel of the Province of Jalisco appoint ministers of foreign affairs to conduct negotiations for the return of Kratz?

It is gratifying to note the action of St. Louis business men in the Wiggins Ferry deal who have shown that they hold their words as good as their bonds and far better than a higher price for pledged stock.

"She wants so much; she is so expensive; yet she does not know she is so expensive," says M. Le Roux of the American woman. Can it be that papa has never hinted to her that she is costing so much?

LET US HAVE THE FACTS.

The hearing before the Supreme Court of Missouri in the proceedings instituted by Attorney-General Crow offers an opportunity to all cattle growers and dealers and butchers to give information of facts in their possession bearing upon the question of the existence of the beef trust.

It is to be hoped that this opportunity will not be neglected. Subsequent proceedings under the law will depend upon the evidence brought out at this hearing. The evidence may also, in large measure, determine the enforcement of the interstate commerce act. If it can be shown that there is a meat combine operating in Missouri this evidence may be of great value in the federal case.

The first essential thing to do is to obtain the facts. Citizens having information concerning the existence and methods of a meat combine should not withhold it from the attorney-general. Evidence of the violation of the law is necessary to its enforcement.

Should the President continue to favor a vigorous prosecution of lawbreaking trusts he may indeed decrease the campaign fund of 1904, but there are millions of American consumers who may stand by him. The great advance in meat prices has been a lesson to every voter. The dullest can be educated by a scarcity of food.

TEA DRINKING.

Recently published statistics go to show that Americans are not great tea drinkers compared to their cousins, the British.

The tea imports into the United States run from 76,000,000 to 81,000,000 pounds. During the year 1901 the United Kingdom—that is England and Wales, Scotland and Ireland—imported 255,000,000 pounds.

In the United States the consumption of tea is restricted to adults and almost entirely to grown women. Children do not drink it in appreciable numbers, and coffee is immensely more popular among persons of all ages.

In England, on the contrary, coffee is slighted, but everybody drinks tea.

The influence of taxation is illustrated by the decreased consumption of tea in the United States since the ten cent import tax was imposed in 1898. For the five years prior to that the average annual consumption was 92,436,739 pounds. In 1898-99 the importation fell to 82,907,867 pounds and in 1889-1900 to 85,907,177 pounds, and it is worth noting that the falling off of imports was almost entirely of the cheaper grades.

It is said that the Illinois Republican platform will declare for the merit system in state institutions. All political platforms should have a merit system plank and all political parties should be held to a strict construction of their platforms.

IS GEN. SMITH TRUTHFUL?

Some of the organs have come to their senses, but others hold out and show their teeth.

The charge is not against the American army, but against certain officers, who, it is said, have been guilty of violating the laws of civilized war and savage cruelty.

Now comes Gen. Jacob Smith and says he did give the order to kill and burn, and fixed the victims by specifying all over ten, since it seems Filipinos of that tender age are terrible and destructive warriors.

But these organs do not go into the quest as might be expected. Quite the contrary. They repeat their frenzied rhetoric. Once more, then, let them consider these questions:

When Gen. Smith says the late commander in Samar issued that order, is he a "human snake?" Are the newsmen who transmit the general's statement over the cable "slanderers?" Are the senators and other public men who read it "riff-raff of copperheadism," "fire in the rear conspirators," "copperhead vermin?" And are the persons who believe the testimony of Gen. Smith concerning the late commander in Samar "persons of defective sense?"

The question has narrowed down to the character of Gen. Smith. Is he lying about the late commander in Samar?

The arrest of several persons charged with sending through the mails fraudulent circulars in order to sell mining stocks will interest many investors. If such arrests are continued there may be a good deal of trouble for swindlers who have advertised through Uncle Sam. The postoffice department has done a great deal of good work in bringing rascals to account.

PICTURE CONTEST CLOSED.

Monday's Post-Dispatch contained the last coupon to be voted in the Public School Children's Picture contest. All coupons must be in the Post-Dispatch office by 6 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, May 7, at which hour the contest closes.

This has been one of the most hotly contested and interesting competitions ever waged for a worthy object. Many thousands of votes have been cast, and the school children have entered into the spirit of the contest with remarkable unanimity and vigor. The award of the committee engaged in the work of counting the votes will appear in the Sunday Post-Dispatch of May 11, with full particulars as to the winding up of the contest. It will then be seen that the six schools which shall be found to have won the six valuable pictures will have earned the rewards.

And for the losers also the contest will not have been without good results. It will be educational in its effect upon character, teaching perseverance, public spirit and patience under disappointment. There is comfort also in the thought that this picture presentation carries with it the certainty that in course of time all the schools will be similarly favored. The great [illegible] and especially the New St. Louis, will evolve sufficient [illegible] of the movement. The generous contributors of the pictures now given will, it is to be hoped, be the pioneers in a friendly rivalry to make the public schools art centers.

Through the courtesy of Mr. C. W. Rhodes, curator of paintings at the Art Museum, the six paintings chosen for the schools and voted on in this contest will be on view for the next three free days, which are Friday, Saturday and Sunday, May 9, 10 and 11, inclusive.

The Senate's acceptance without any protest of the amendment postponing the date of the World's Fair opening until 1904 is gratifying and foreshadows favorable action by the House. No opposition anywhere has become manifest. The wisdom of the postponement seems to be admitted generally. This is a fair augury of the larger success upon the expectation of which the movement for postponement is based. The largest success and complete readiness are the conditions anticipated in 1904.

IMPARTIAL EUROPEAN FRIENDSHIPS.

It is a happy conjunction of circumstances that the Rochambeau statue celebration should closely follow the visit of Prince Henry to the United States. The fact that the United States exchanges special courtesies and tokens of friendship with both France and Germany emphasizes the impartiality of this country in our European relations.

That France is greatly pleased with the Rochambeau memorial and the cordial invitation to participate in the exercises attending the unveiling is indicated by the news of French enthusiasm in the Post-Dispatch's special cable from Paris. The French people are showing that they appreciate the significance of the American memorial of France's aid in the revolutionary war and are willing heartily to reciprocate.

To maintain friendly relations with all European powers who show a friendly disposition is sound American policy. It is well to have it thoroughly understood in Europe that the United States cannot be entangled in the schemes of any European nation, but is disposed to be on a friendly footing with all.

The reporter who beheld the World's Fair site on Sunday "a sea of palpitating mud moving in convulsive shudders" did a good day's work and produced another good reason for postponement.

SIX BIG SHIPS.

The report of the House naval committee, accompanying the naval appropriation bill, gives the naval program for 1903.

The total number of vessels in the navy built and building is 138, the cost of which is $235,082,209.

Provision has been made for two first-class battleships of the highest type, having a displacement of 16,000 tons. Exclusive of armor and armament, the cost of these will be $4,212,000 each. Two first-class armored cruisers of 14,500 tons, costing $4,659,000 each, and two 1000-ton gunboats, costing $3,802,000, complete the heavy additions to be begun during the coming year. The total cost, including armor and guns, will approximate $29,500,000.

The bill contemplates an increase of the enlisted force by 3000 men and an increase in the number of cadets at the naval academy to 500.

An important provision in this bill is that the secretary of the navy may, in his discretion, build all the new ships in government yards, but it is mandatory upon him to build at least one battleship or one armored cruiser in such yard, and he must keep an accurate account, so that the cost of government work may be compared to that done by private contractors.

"We would have been there strong in 1903; we shall be there stronger in 1904," says the president of the Texas World's Fair commissioners, speaking of Texas at the great Exposition. Every state will "be there stronger" for the postponement.

The statement that in the southern extremity of Lower California no rain has fallen for three and a half years seems incredible. Our "great drouth" of last year was dampness compared with this California stayer.

Potter Palmer was the man who from a waste of sand dunes and stagnant water made the handsomest residence street in Chicago. How very much one man of an enterprising spirit can do for a city.

So long as the members of the British House of Lords, who have caused so many matrimonial scandals, are standing by the marriage laws in the House, British virtue may hope.

Our prosperity has brought us in the first four months of 1902 an immigration 30,000 larger than that for the corresponding time in any past year. The total was 178,604.

By the action of the grandjury Mr. Kratz may have escaped a term in Congress. By the action of the Mexican authorities he has escaped a term in the penitentiary.

The Massachusetts soldiers who gave Senator Lodge their statements of the application of the water cure in the Philippines—were they "copperhead vermin?"

If the consumer is to be consumed, how is he to patronize trusts? Killing the goose that lays golden eggs has always been disastrous.

The "treasonable" language of Labouchere, Herbert Spencer and Kipling is a great drawback to British benevolent assimilation.

So long as we build battleships for Russia and sell mules and horses to Great Britain we shall have money coming in.

We have killed two Moro Sultans, but we continue to pay the Sulu Sultan and maintain his harem.

The Filipino is treacherous and deceitful. Besides, we want his country.

We can't have everything we want, especially Kratz.

POST-DISPATCH SNAP SHOTS.

Hopkins of Aurora is the Illinois borealis.

The women and children who swear have heard men do it.

The exhibit of Missouri mud at the Fair site on Sunday was complete.

Gen. Funston may find some comfort in the St. Louis sermon on the sin of silence.

The perspiration season having arrived, the effort to do away with sweat shops is renewed.

Doubtless a front view of the new St. Louis postoffice building will be added to Postmaster Baumhoff's stereopticon lecture.

The British consul thinks American drummers succeed because they are tall men. Perhaps short men are reserved for generals and statesmen.

When the agricultural department shall have taught cleanliness to swine, as it proposes to do, will it order a supply of pearls for them?

The testimony in a recent divorce case was that a woman said "darn" and "devil" when she felt like swearing. There are women who have even been known to say "gosh durn."

Senator Hanna refuses magnetic healing for his bad knee, though several other senators have endeavored to persuade him to try it. He knows that a bad knee could not keep him from running in 1904 should his chances appear good.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

H. M. C.—There is no premium on a half cent of 1826.

SUBSCRIBER.—Buffalo Bill, Col. Cody, is still living.

H. B. H.—There is no premium on half dollars of 1856 and 1867.

F. C. D. L.—Apply to commandant Jefferson Guards, World's Fair office.

READER.—There is no premium on copper cents of 1838 nor on the other coins.

A. R.—Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kan., are two different city governments.

M. JACKSON.—Mail time for New York to Beunos Ayres is 29 days, from St. Louis say one month.

SUBSCRIBER.—The passages eye for an eye, etc., are Exodus, 21:24; Leviticus, 24:20; Deuteronomy, 19:21.

CONSTANT READER.—Smallpox patients go to quarantine. If the rule suffers exception it is not authorized.

READER.—Don Francisco D'Assize, ex-King Consort of Spain, who died April 17, was the lawful grandfather of the present King.

OLD SUBSCRIBER.—Barnum-Bailey show is said to be in Europe. Just where you can perhaps learn from the Dramatic Mirror, New York.

INQUIRER.—We have no quotations of continental currency. It is worth a small price, according to condition. For quotation on your $3 note of 1780 see St. Louis Stamp and Coin Co., 1003 Pine street.

IN SOCIETY.—No, no, no; it is not "good form to pass toothpicks at the end of a dinner, and each person sit and chew one while conversation goes on, or to leave the table with one in the mouth."

CONSTANT READER.—The word tartar in your recipe probably means cream of tartar, which any druggist can supply. But it may also mean tartar emetic. Druggist should be able to tell by examining your recipe which it calls for. Be careful, as if it is for medicinal purposes you may regret an error. Tartaric acid is a comparatively harmless white powder, used with bicarbonate of soda to make an effervescing drink. Perhaps your recipe means this. Quick lime is the common lime used in [illegible]

Just A Minute
WITH THE POST-DISPATCH POET AND PHILOSOPHER.

THE CIRCUS.

I.

I love to see the circus crowd go circusing along,
And mix up in a jumble with the rubber-necking throng.
Oh, when the bands are playing in their rough-and-ready style,
Till you can hear them up the street approaching for a mile,
What pleasure could be greater than to hear that root-a-toot,
And see the clown cavorting in his starry banner suit?

II.

The lions and the leopards and the tigers in their cage
My whole attention for the time are certain to engage.
I love to hear the patter of the Shetland ponies' hoofs,
And watch the faces peering from the windows near the roofs,
And mark the undulations of the elephantine tread,
And see the circus ladies in resplendent robes of red.

III.

I watch the milk white palfreys as they chassay up the street,
And see the swaying camels with their broad pneumatic feet;
I see the Turks and Bedouins and others strange to me,
And hear the mournful screeching of the big calliope,
And when the golden Cupids on the ponderous wagons shine,
I know the circus man will get that fifty cents of mine.

IV.

How barren would be all our lives, what wearing woes would irk us,
If anywhere, in all the world, there was no monster circus!
The "greatest show on earth," I own, is paradise to me;
A "stupendous aggregation" I would starve a week to see,
And if I couldn't run a bluff and didn't have a cent,
I'd sacrifice my dignity and crawl beneath the tent.

Is it "Beyond Human Power" to eradicate "The Notorious Mrs. Ebbsmith" and other bizarre plays in which Mrs. Pat Campbell is now appearing?

"The best way to make a million is to attend to business and keep your mouth shut," said John W. Gates. Then he talked nearly three columns for publication.

Very Likely.

We "beef" because the beef trust
Has left us all forlorn:
Perhaps, in time, the chief trust
Will corner all the corn.

No doubt if Gen. Jake Smith of Samar had been organizing a Sunday School picnic he would have spared all the children over 10 years old to carry the baskets.

Those Missourians who were cut off by the Missouri river and who can't tell now whether they are Missourians or Nebraskans, are not the simon pure article. Let them go. What's the use warring about them in the Supreme Court of the United States? A Missourian who is a Missourian knows he is a Missourian and is proud of it. Let this painful incident be closed at once.

ALL ABOUT DIAMONDS.

"I am convinced that few people know anything about diamonds, no matter how much they pose as experts," says a young business man in the Philadelphia Record. "A recent experience of mine has forced me to this conclusion. I bought, as a Christmas present for my wife, a brooch containing a cluster of diamonds, and took occasion to show it to several of my friends at the club. They examined it very closely, looked wise and then started to show me where my judgment had been at fault. Every man seemed to be a diamond expert.

"At any rate, I determined to make a test. I went to one of those imitation diamond stores, and for 50 cents bought a brooch, which I placed in the box that had formerly contained the real one. Again I went to the club and announced to my critical friends that I had taken their collective advice, and, by paying an extra $50, had exchanged the brooch in which they had picked so many flaws. They all agreed that the 50-cent bauble which I showed them was a great improvement over the other, and when I told them of the trick I had played on them they wouldn't believe me. To a man they contended that they couldn't be fooled on diamonds. Now I feel better satisfied with my purchase."

MAUD MULLER IN THE CITY.

Maud Muller, on a summer's day,
Set a hen in a brand new way.
(Maud, you see, was a city girl
Trying the rural life a whirl.)
She covered a box with tinsel gay,
Lined it snugly with new-mown hay,
Filled it nicely with eggs and then
Started to look for a likely hen.
Out of the flock selected one,
And then she thought that her work was done.
It would have been, but this stubborn hen
Stood up and cackled "Ka-doot!" and then
Maud Muller came and in hurt surprise
Looked coldly into the creature's eyes,
Then tied its legs to the box. "You bet
I know how to make you set."
But still it stood and worse and worse
Shrieked forth its wrongs to the universe,
Kicked over the box with tinsel gay
And ignominiously flopped away.
Then a bad boy, over the barnyard fence,
Tee-heed: "Say, Maud, there's a difference
'Tween hens, you know, and it is that
One says 'Ka-doot!' and one 'Ka-dat!'"
Then Maud recalled that the ugly brute
She tried to set had said "Ka-doot!"
And ever since that historic day
She blushes in an embarrassed way
To think of the bobble she made once when
She tried to set a gentleman hen.
—Victor Murdock, in Wichita Eagle.

NO LOSS.

"Is it true that your coachman ran away with your wife?"

"Yes, but that's all right! I was going to discharge him at the end of the month, anyway!"—Simplicissimus.

A DAILY MAGAZINE

AS NEAR AS HE CAME.

"O, Harry, were you never hit by fair Cupid's dart?"

"Nope; but Jimmy Mulligan swatted me wid er rock onct."

BOY GUESSED RIGHT.

The Vicar: Now, boys, what animal supplies you with boots and gives you meat to eat?

First Boy (promptly): Father.—Moonshine.

REMEMBER.

Suggested by a Post-Dispatch Thought for the Day and dedicated to the Sunshine Society.

BY WILLIAM EWING LOVE.

O, my friend, if you think aught worth saying
That may cheer me along on life's way,
Do not lessen the good by delaying;
If I merit, commend me today.

How far better is one kind word spoken
To fall full on the sentient ear
Than profusion of tribute and token
To the dead who no longer can hear.

Have you praise, then defer not the giving;
Have you wreaths, place them now on my head;
For one rosebud is more to me living
Than a flower-strewn grave to me dead.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY.

Think less about your rights and more of your duties.
ELBERT HUBBARD.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Some girls would know their blonde hair by any other color.

Some people are so slow they can't even compete with dead men.

The marriage habit is easier for a man to break himself of than for a woman.

Some women are so fair-minded that when they know they were in the wrong they will accept an apology from you for it.—New York Press.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

"Yes. Biggins has completed his new airship and will name it 'Truth.'"

"Odd name. What's the idea?"

"Well, he figures that truth crushed to earth will rise ag"—

But just then the ambulance drove up to convey his remnants to the hospital and he finished gurgling.—Baltimore News.

CAN YOU DO THIS?

Balance a silver quarter on the edge of a table. Close one eye and walk quickly up to the table and try to knock the coin off. The chances are that, with one eye shut, you can't hit it in three trials.

POST DISPATCH SKETCH BOOK

VERY LIKELY.

"The Count" is probably the most credulous newspaper man in St. Louis. He is a trifle older than the average newspaper man, and he has seen decidedly more of the world than most of his colaborers. He is now employed on one of the German papers as a reporter. Before he came to America he was a soldier, and was accustomed to hobnobbing with nobility. He takes everything literally, and has not an enemy in the profession.

A few days ago there was a vaudeville entertainment given in the jail for the benefit of the prisoners. Among the other invited guests was "The Count." He stood with a group of newspaper men enjoying the performance. The count owns a watch of which he is justly proud. It was presented him by Humbert, King of Italy, because of a brave act performed at Custozza in 1866.

While he was watching one of his brethren of the press slipped the watch from his pocket "unbeknownst" to him. It was several hours later that the count discovered his loss.

"Capt. Huebler," confidentially spake the count to the jailer, "while I was in at your place this afternoon my watch was stolen. I don't like to say anything, but I think that you have a gang of thieves in there."

AN ODD DEFINITION.

Dr. A. H. Ohmann-Dumesnil is a queer character at all times, but some of his definitions reach the climax of queerness. Recently he attended a fashionable reception given out on West Pine boulevard. He was asked by one of his friends the next day what kind of an affair it had been.

"It was a carbuncle!" he replied.

"A carbuncle—what on earth do you mean?"

"Why, it was a great gathering and a swell affair."

GOT EVEN.

G. H. Schollmeyer, who is known to every T. P. A. man on earth as "Gen. Sculley," is witty on both sides and in the middle. Not long ago he made a certain town out in his territory in which the leading drg goods merchant is of the piggish kind. This man was terribly inflated with the dignity of his position and seldom granted audience to a traveling salesman and then only when the traveler sent in his card and stated what he had to offer.

This, "Gen." Sculley" did. Soon the boy came back with the statement that the proprietor was not in need of anything. This rather "riled" the general, who had stayed over a whole day to see the inflated individual, so he sent the boy back for his card.

The boy returned with the statement that the boss in a rage had torn up the card. The general sent him back again to tell his royal piggishness that those cards cost his firm money. The boy came back with five cents.

Then Gen. Scully took his revenge. He wrote him a note that ran like this:

"My firm does a square business—we never take advantage on any one. Those cards only cost three for a nickle. Enclosed please find two more cards to make up the difference."

It is said that the merchant had an apoplectic fit there and then. So did Schollmeyer, but his was from laughing.

PUZZLES AND THEIR SOLUTION

All puzzles sent in must be accompanied by solutions.

BUFFALO BILL PUZZLE.

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The sections in yesterday's problem, correctly joined, produce the well-known outlines of Buffalo Bill's head.

How Mattie Cut the Melons.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In trying to solve your melon puzzle, I consulted pa, who, after smiling broadly, made the remark that the eating of the melons was the greater task, and referred me to Mattie, our colored cook, who said that among all of her acquaintances she knew only five persons who could get away with that amount of melon. After a little study she said: Now, Harry, if I cut one melon in three parts, each part is one-third of a melon. If I cut five melons [illegible] this way I have 15 parts. There are three persons to eat these parts; that makes five parts to each person. As A had two melons, equal to six parts, he furnished one part to the friend, and as B had three melons, equal to nine parts, he furnished four parts to the friend, who gave them the 20 cents.

Therefore B is entitled to
4 parts of the 20c, equal to..................16c
and A to 1 part, equal to.......................4c
20c

After showing this solution to pa, who said it was correct, he told me if in the future I had anything in that line again always to call on Mattie, who knew how to cut melons.
HARRY BECK.
St. Louis.

Several Solutions.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Below I give answer to a few puzzles and hope a few of them will be correct:

Six-pin puzzle.
(Diagram omitted—Solution correct.)

"Division of Melons"—A gets 4 cents, B gets 16 cents.

"Geese"—The maid has 10 geese.

"Ages"—Man's age at marriage 10½ years. Woman's age at marriage 31½ years.

"Division of 21"—First son gets $7.36 48-57; second son gets $5.52 36-57; third son gets $4.42 6-57; fourth son gets $3.68 24-57—$21.

St. Louis TOM, DICK AND HARRY.

Careful Cutting.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I will be pleased to see the following puzzles published in your paper:

1. A cabinetmaker has a circular piece of veneering with which he has to veneer the tops of two oval stools, but it so happens that the area of the stools, exclusive of the hand holes in the center and that of the circular piece, are the same. How must he cut his stuff so as to be exactly sufficient for his purpose?

2. A plank has to be cut in two; the carpenter cut it half through on each side and found he had two feet still to cut. How was it? [illegible]

St. Louis.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(This column is open to everybody who has a complaint to make, information to give or a subject of general interest to discuss. Letters from persons seeking employment cannot be given place in this column. All letters must be accompanied by address and signature.)

Branch Postoffice Stations.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I notice that the postmaster is arranging to open about thirty more stations for the benefit of our citizens where they can be better accommodated. That is all right, but I trust they will be better ones than some that are now in the West End, not holes in the wall, as we have. During James Carlisle's administration we had a first-class station on Morgan street between Sarah and Vandeventer, but for some reason unknown to the writer the present incumbent moved it and now we have on Vandeventer and Finney a hole in the wall and on Sarah near Morgan another, both a disgrace to our present civilization. The great city of St. Louis is entitled to better treatment. We of the West End would like to know why the office was moved from Morgan street. Can we get the answer?

SIMON L. BOOGHERS.
St. Louis.

Somewhat Perplexing.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

The official in the St. Charles and Western Electric Railroad Co. who is responsible for the "instructions to employes" that appear in the cars has much to answer for. The following are "peaches."

"Whenever a motorman and conductor cannot agree while on duty they lay themselves liable to a lay-off."

"No excuse will be taken from motormen, who, knowing their cars are not in running order, will take any chances in running same, whereby an accident might occur; where brakes are out of order extra precautions should be taken in running the car slowly where accidents are liable to happen and not being able to stop the car in time."

"A motorman or conductor receiving a third lay-off will be considered equal to a discharge."

JAMES MAIN.
St. Louis.

A Poem That Was Asked For.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Please find inclosed the poem "Queen Marguerite," requested by a writer in tonight's Post-Dispatch. It was published in the November, 1900, Smart Set.

I would be grateful to you if you would publish the poem "Down to the Capitol," by James Whitcomb Riley. I would not trouble you, but I cannot get it at the library.

KENTUCKIAN.

QUEEN MARGUERITE.

The Queen of France came riding by
And rivaled sunshine that shone on her—
Fair Marguerite, and round her nigh
Were all her noble Maids of Honor.

Alain Chartier, the bard of love,
Lay on a bank in slumber deep;
The Queen's face bent his face above—
She kissed the poet in his sleep.

Then 'mongst the Maids a murmur ran:
"That ugly man! How could she do it?"
She said: "I did not kiss the man;
Only the mouth—sweet songs ran through it."

I'd ask no other meed of praise
Than have been poet in those days.

GEORGE BIRDSEYE.

Increase in Rents.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Kindly permit me to reply to your correspondent, Ben Miller, who doubts any hardship to tenants, says "rents are cheaper in St. Louis than any other American city" and that St. Louis real estate has not paid for ten years.

1. That the Post-Dispatch of recent date contained a long account of 1200 to 1500 families who removed to new locations May 1, mostly to the suburbs, on account of inability, as the article stated, to bear the "exactions of the Beef Trust and increased rents." The article further stated that moving firms are overwhelmed with orders for vans and wagons and cannot supply the demand. Officers of moving companies had not for years seen such an immense volume of moving.

2. Flats of 5 to 6 rooms in New York City, in the Central Park West district, rent for less than West End St. Louis flats. For proof of same read the for rent columns of any Sunday issue of New York World, or consult any St. Louisan familiar with New York values. The same is true of Chicago and can be proved in a similar manner.

3. Turn to real estate pages of Sunday Post-Dispatch; also get catalogues from leading real estate agents and Mr. Miller will find that St. Louis flats yield a revenue of 12 to 16 per cent. I will show him whole blocks of flats in the West End costing $5000 to $6500 and renting for $22.50 to $65—both floors included. What per cent is this?

C. AMBROSE.
St. Louis.

Advice Given.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I am very sorry for you, Mr. Bachelor. You say the young lady doesn't seem to care since you broke the engagement and seems to be happy. Will advise you to go back to her and tell her why you broke the engagement. I think if she loves you she will forgive you. She may seem to be happy, in order to try to forget you, but her heart may be breaking in silence. I am sure if you love her so very much you should have kept your word. I wish you the best of luck. And I would like to say to those who gave me advice I thank them ever so much, and I am trying to forget how my heart was broken.

A BROKEN-HEARTED BRIDE TO BE.
St. Louis.

Maccaroon Custard.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In answer to request of Josephine D., I send the following recipe:

One-fourth pound of maccaroons (stale ones), rolled fine, one teaspoonful of gelatine dissolved in a little water. Separate three eggs, add four tablespoonfuls of sugar to the yelks, beat together and pour slowly into one pint of milk brought to the boiling point in a double boiler; add the gelatine, then the rolled maccaroons; when partly cooled, stir in two tablespoonfuls of sherry and the beaten whites of the eggs; let it be thoroughly cooled before serving.

St. Louis. MRS. C.

Pension Commissioner Ware's Poem.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Will the Post-Dispatch please print the poem by Pension Commissioner Ware. I do not know the name of it and have read only of it, but it treats of the life of a washerwoman.

ALICE JOHNSON.
St. Louis.

The poem was published in the Sunday Post-Dispatch following the announcement of Poet Ware's appointment.

About the Trusts.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In economical America we are at the last stage of the competitive industrial system. The logical conclusion of this system is the bringing forward of the people's trust. The competitive system has well served its beneficent mission of bringing forward an immense production of wealth. It has relegated poverty, the foe of man, to the rear. Poverty in the concrete in countries where competition has had free course and the natural resources ample, is caused by a false distribution. Competition having reached its limit it must give place to combination, and the pressing question of the hour is simplified to a choice between public and private combination. That is, whether the immense production now possible shall be distributed to the public or to infinitesimal portions thereof.

"The hair of a dog for the bite of a dog." By making the whole people parties to a combination the "capitalist" (socialist definition) becomes extinct. Monopoly ceases to be monopoly when all are included in its benefits. We can't monopolize against ourselves.

LEVIN T. JONES.
Baltimore, Md.

Early Closing.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Why do not the real estate offices close at 1 o'clock on Saturday, when all other offices around them close? Is it because they are afraid they will lose some business? If all would close there would not be any loss of business.

It seems strange that some [illegible] people leave all their business until Saturday and then think the poor real estate people should keep open all the time, just to serve them.

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THIS IS JUVENILE DAY AT THE FAIR GROUNDS

Seventeen Two-Year-Olds Will Face the Starter Many of Them for the First Time—A Fast Lot of Thoroughbreds in Fifth Event—Today's Selections.

FAIR GROUNDS SELECTIONS.

First race—Sue Vius, Doctor Kammerer.

Second race—Parnassus, Has Gift.

Third race—Geheimness, Votary.

Fourth race—Dewey, El Caney

Fifth race—If You Dare, Bill Massie.

Sixth race—W. B. Gates, Ida Ledford.

BY R. D. WALSH.

Two-year-olds will occupy a large portion of the stage at the Fair Grounds this afternoon.

Seventeenth juveniles will sport silk in the first and third races. The majority of them have never faced the barrier, and of those who have little can be said in their favor. It will take several weeks of watching before a fair estimate can be formed of their racing abilities.

Among the eight that are carded to start in the first race Sue Vius has the best record. Feb. 27 she ran third in a three and a half furlong dash, in slow time, however, and on March 12 she finished third to Navasota in a half mile race. This latter race was run in 48 seconds and is very fast for New Orleans. On this particular race Sue Vius is selected to run first in today's opening event and Doctor Kammerer may be second.

Fourteen 3-year-olds will meet in the second race and of these Maggie Clopton and Has Gift have already performed creditably at the Fair Grounds. Clopton ran second to Salinda in the opening race Saturday, but only carried 85 pounds. Has Gift ran a good third to Velma Clark and should be in the money today. If Lynch were right he could win, but his last race at Memphis April 1 was a poor one, and he must be eliminated from present considerations.

On this year's work Parnassus looks to be the best and he has won in fast and heavy going. Feb. 6 he defeated a fair field of ten at New Orleans in heavy going and showed considerable gameness. Again on Feb. 13 he won a six and a half furlong race by four lengths from Dr. Hart, Ernest Parham and seven others in the fair time of 1:22. He really has not very much to beat in the second race and with a good boy up should win. Has Gift should not be worse than second.

On the form shown by Geheimness in Chicago she should win the third handily, with Votary the contender.

The fourth race is a difficult problem to solve. Dewey, El Caney and Satin Coat look like the pick of the lot. Velma Clark is not partial to a mile and, although she has the speed of the party, she will probably give way at the head of the stretch and allow the milers to pass her. Dewey, with only 95 pounds up, looks tempting and I shall have to vote for him to run with El Caney and Satin Coat fighting for the place.

There is a whole lot of speed in the fifth race with such horses as Miss Mae Day, Tom Collins, Jake Weber and Hermoso. With the exception of Weber six furlongs is the limit of these animals. On his Chicago performances If You Dare looks good and unless the change of climate interferes with him he should win. Horses coming here from other tracks, however, seldom win their first out, and it might be wise to let this gelding show what he can do at the Fair Grounds before he is made the public choice.

Bill Massie looks good now and ran a fair race in the Inaugural. He has the stamina of the party and should be close up at the finish.

W. B. Gates was defeated on Saturday on account of a bad ride and should defeat Ida Ledford in the sixth race. Ida has been running poorly of late, but she seems good enough to take care of the others. This is Wallabout's first race this year and he may not be ready for a bruising race yet.

The feature of yesterday's racing at the Fair Grounds was the duel between Maximus and Brulare in the fifth race. It demonstrated more clearly than anything else the difference in the riding talent that is in St. Louis just now. With jockeys reversed Maximus would have won.

Beauchamp, who rode Brulare, adopted some smart tactics coming down the home stretch, for which Judge Brady fined him $50.

According to the rules of racing "a leading horse is entitled to any part of the course, but if it is ridden to either side so as to impede another it is a cross."

Beauchamp did not keep a straight path yesterday and maneuvered so as to put Maximus in the heavy going. A strict interpretation of the rules would have justly disqualified Brulare and given the race to Maximus, but there was no objection made and Darden & Co. got the purse.

There were some stirring finishes in yesterday's contests, notably in the Huntressa-King Daly race in which the former won by a neck through the superior horsemanship of Dominick. King Daly led into the stretch by a neck from Huntressa and these two had a battle royal from the quarter pole to the wire. The daughter of Pirate of Penzance and the son of King Eric proved that they were fast and game. Both are grand mud performers, and Huntressa can be relied upon in any kind of going.

Barney Schreiber has a splendid two-year-old filly in Grand Shot by Imp. Foul Shot—Grand Lady. She was practically left at the post in the second race, but she ran round her field and finished a bang up third. When she becomes accustomed to the game she will make a fine performer. Sinfi at the comfortable odds of 30 to 1 walked away with the third race. A strong line was given on her by "Morning Gallops," which keeps close notch on the thoroughbreds.

The best riding exhibition of the day was given by little Earl, the colored midget, in his ride on Brewer Schorr in the last race. He was off badly and was in ninth position until the half was reached, where he managed to squeeze through, and gradually improving his position, led at the eighth pole and by artistic hand riding landed his mount a winner by two lengths. He was roundly cheered for his work and deserved it.

BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Hugh Jennings has signed a Philadelphia League contract and will join the team in June.

The Pittsburg club is distributing a neat souvenir button embellished with a picture of the pennant.

The Baltimore club has signed Bob Lawson, the pitcher, who was with the Boston Leaguers last year. He is the twirler that Frank Selee, in one of his generous moments, offered to Manager McPhee for Jack Dobbs or Sam Crawford of Cincinnati.

"Suppose Chicago should have two championship baseball teams this year. Wouldn't that fan you?" says the Inter-Ocean. All right. But suppose neither should win the pennant. Wouldn't that jar them?

Wednesday night: "They're a lot of dubs." "Never could play ball." "They'll finish about seventh." Thursday night: "They're peaches." And so it goes with the fickle baseball public.

What they think in Pittsburg: "Although St. Louis did not take a game from us, the crowds were tremendous and they seemed to be in full sympathy with the Cardinals. They cheered players after they had made errors just to let them know that they were not in a knocking humor."

Capt. Tom Corcoran of the Reds has become an enthusiastic ping-pong player. Capt. Tom was initiated into the mysteries of ping-pong by some friends. He became interested at once, and spent several hours at the table. He says that the game is a splendid one for training the eye, and that it will doubtless become popular with the ball player. Captain will be complaining of the ping-pong arm if he is not careful.

Fred Postal's wires are in good working order. The new Senatorial backstop is the catching find of the year. The Washington president told a Times man: "If Bill Clarke was offered to me tomorrow with a $1000 bonus for Drill I would say: 'To the tall timbers with you.' In two months Drill will have Clarke outdone in all four ways. He is now a better hitter than Bill, and what he will learn in the next month or so will give him the experience that he needs."

"I see," remarked Manager Frank Dwyer, "that the Chicago papers are handing Sullivan a few knocks for being caught off third base by the old trick that McGuire worked last Wednesday, when he made a bluff to throw to second to get Strang going down, and turned the throw to third, nailing Sullivan off the base. The Chicago catcher doesn't deserve so much censure. There's no man in the business can pull off this trick with McGuire. His snap to third is made with exactly the same motion as the throw to second, and older players than Sullivan are likely to be caught at it. It's a trick that is worked so seldom that it becomes almost new. McGuire pulled it off in the exhibition games, and he'll get a few more men with it in the championship series."

OLDEST MAN IN THE BUSINESS.

"Strange how a nice clean shave will make a fellow look young," said Bobby Love, at a recent meeting with Menefee, who, in addition to the shave mentioned, was resplendent in glad rags. "Why, you're ten years older than I am, if a day, but you don't look the part."

"Yes, I am. Why, you were playing ball in Milwaukee when Mr. Hart was manager there before he went into the National League, and that was back in the late '80s, and you were considered a good old man then," retorted Menefee.

"O, Jack's not so old," interposed Cantillon. "It was not so many years ago that I had to fine him $50 and suspend him for fifteen days for striking 'Bad Bill' Egan up at Minneapolis. Egan got the same, but Menefee was a hot-headed youngster then."

"Well, I was right, and Egan should have got twenty years for provoking me," said Menefee.

"Charles Kuhn here has us all beat when it comes to service," said Mr. Hart. "How long have you been with the club, Charley?"

"I came right after the death of Mr. Hulbert, who was president. It was in 1832. I've been at the old Lake Front Park, the Congress street grounds, at the South Side Park, at Twenty-fifth street, when we played alternate games on the West Side and South Side grounds in '91, following the brotherhood year, on the South Side grounds when we played all our games there in '92, and here, where we opened in '03. I've seen a lot of good players come and go, including the stars of the old White Stockings."

Wiser Than Most Lovers.

From Stray Stories.

He. Darling, we'll have a lot to contend with when we are married.

She. Yes, dear, we'll have each other.

PUGILISTIC GOSSIP.

The scene of local prize fighting is likely to be transferred shortly from the town to the river. The St. Louis Rowing Club, or the parties who managed the "stags" of that organization during the winter months, will charter the steamer Hill City and hold fistic tourneys on the river. The scheme was tried last summer and worked very well with one or two exceptions. On one occasion the deck of the Hill City refused to stand for the crowd and caved in.

Clarence Forbes and Billy Rotchford or Oscar Gardner and Eddie Santry are talked of for the opening mill, but no definite announcement has been made as yet. The date of the first river scrap will be either May 22 or 29.

Notwithstanding the refusal of the mayor of Hartford to issue a permit for a boxing contest between Terry McGovern and Young Corbett for next October, the Nutmeg Athletic Club, which placed the highest bid for the contest, has posted a forfeit of $2500, guaranteeing that the battle will take place somewhere in the state of Connecticut. To have $2500 worth of confidence after the jab given by the Hartford mayor means that a trump is up somebody's sleeve.

Kid Broad may be Young Corbett's next opponent. Dave Sullivan was down on the cards of the Denver Athletic Club to fight the champion, but it is announced that the gentleman from Cork is not particularly anxious to sign the articles, and to stop shilly-shallying the club proposes to sign some one else. Broad has been suggested. Broad and Young Corbett have fought two times. Once Broad knocked his opponent out in four rounds.

Young Corbett and Benny Yanger may be matched to fight at San Francisco. The Hayes Valley Athletic Club has made a big offer for the contest.

"Jack" Jeffries, brother to the champion heavyweight, has re-entered the ring, and his next battle will be a 20-round go with "Hank" Griffin, the colored heavyweight, which takes place at the Century Athletic Club, San Francisco, on May 13. Jeffries has improved so much in his exhibitions with the champion that the latter has decided to let him take a chance on his own account.

Bob Fitzsimmons is gradually working his way westward for his match with James Jeffries. Fitz's talk is on the line of doing something big, but it was ever thus from the first time Fitz opened his mouth. However, he seems straight in his utterances. According to his announcement at Chicago he had trained down to 159 pounds shortly before he left the East. He had no intention of fighting at that figure, however. Fitz has a new assistant in the person of a young fellow named Wilson. "Soldier" Wilson, who will assist George Dawson in training Fitz for the fray, is the recognized heavyweight champion of the United States army.

Recently he was approached by a representative of the National Sporting Club of England, who offered him a match during coronation week with the best man that could be procured from among the ranks of the British "Tommy Atkinses."

Wilson accepted and was granted an extended furlough for the purpose of fulfilling his engagement. Then the National Club officials withdrew their offer, saying that they had resolved to employ none but strictly professional talent at the big tourment.

This threw Wilson out of a job for the time being, and Fitzsimmons, who had tried the soldier out and liked his style, promptly came to the rescue and enlisted his services.

Wilson is a tall, strapping yound fellow, 21 years of age, over six feet in height, and weighs 195 pounds. Fitz is authority for the statement that he is a likely fellow, who has a good chance with any of the professionals. He can hit a terrific punch and is cleverer than the average heavyweight.

George Dawson expects to join the Fitzsimmons training camp as soon as all arrangements for the match are completed. The former welter-weight champion of Australia and present boxing instructor of the C. A. A. has always been a warm friend and ardent admirer of "Lanky Bob," and his faith in the latter remains unshaken. He thinks that Fitzsimmons in proper condition has a splendid chance of defeating his former conqueror.

Chicago Porter Meets Boston Woman.

From the New York Press.

Scene—Pullman car, entering St. Louis. Porter obsequiously whisk-brooming woman passenger. After lingering expectantly he receives a tip—a 5-cent nickel. He looks at it critically, then drops it into the cuspidor, remarking defiantly: "Ah'm er portah frum Chicago!" "Open this window!" commands the woman. He obeys, whereupon she stoops, picks up the cuspidor and empties it upon the track, then, drawing herself up haughtily, observes: "I am a lady from Boston." When, in the station, every passenger had left the car, the porter said to the conductor: "Los' dat nickel, en' Ah'm er fool. It teaches me er lesson, howsomdever, never ter fool wid none o' dese Yankee women. Why, dr ain' er woman through de whole West whud er thought o' casting dat nickel on de roadside when day knowed Ah wanted it."

ONE OF TODAY'S FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES.

SIR ROLLA.

SCEPTRE WORTH A KING'S RANSOM

Vanderbilt Offers the Highest Price Ever Paid For a Filly.

LONDON, May 6.—Scepter, the glorious daughter of Persimmon, and winner of the One Thousand and Two Thousand Guineas, is, if report be true, the most valuable filly standing on four legs. She is owned by Mr. R. E. Sievier, who, according to the Daily Express, has just refused an offer of 35,000 guineas ($184,000), in behalf of Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt, and is still considering a second offer of 40,000 guineas ($210,000) from the same gentleman.

Inquiry in racing headquarters elicited the information that not only Mr. Vanderbilt's representative, but also an agent of Mr. Keene and Mr. Whitney, had approached Mr. Sievier regarding the purchase of Scepter. Whether the filly is sold or will be sold is not known at present, Mr. Sievier declining to give a definite answer, while the agent who is said to have made a bid on behalf of Mr. Vanderbilt was equally uncommunicative.

Before Scepter's defeat for the Lincoln Handicap it is said that Mr. Sievier was willing to sell for 30,000 guineas ($157,000), but since this week's victories her price has jumped.

Her next appearance will be in the Derby. Two days afterward she will be run in the Oaks.

Scepter is also entered for very valuable stakes at Ascot and Greenwood. Mr. Sievier paid 10,000 guineas ($50,000) for the filly as a youngster.

AUTO RECORD IN DANGER.

Mile Event Scheduled for May 31 Will Be Hotly Contested.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Secretary S. M. Butler of the Automobile Club of America expects a big entry list for the mile record contests, which are to take place May 31 over a specially prepared course on the famous Staten Island boulevard.

The course lies at New Dorp and the trials will be sanctioned by a special provision enacted by the board of aldermen. There is no better stretch of road in the country for such a competition, and the record held by Fournier of 51 4-5 seconds is in jeopardy.

Rivarly between American and foreign manufacturers is intense. Special machines are now being prepared, and there is little doubt that one or several of them will be driven faster than an automobile has been sent for that distance in any country. Auto owners expect to see a new record set to the undoing of the foreign chauffeurs.

POLO TOURNEYS ARRANGED.

West Chester and Meadow Brook Clubs Events Are Open to Teams of Four.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Two polo tournaments on Long Island for this month are interesting men who ride ponies and handle the mallet so dexterously.

The first will be given by the Country Club of Westchester, May 12 to 21, at which time the Westchester and Country Club cups will be decided. In the race for the Westchester cups there are individual prizes open to teams of four, under the existing handicaps.

The individual prizes, in the Country Club cups contest, are open to teams of four, whose aggregate handicap does not exceed 16 goals. No member of the team can exceed six goals.

The Meadowbrook tournament will begin May 22 and end May 31, for the Meadow Brook and Hempstead cups. The conditions are practically the same as those governing the Westchester competitions.

H. L. Herbert, chairman of the Polo Association, will receive entries at 15 Church street.

Where Orient and Occident Meet.

Calcutta is a city of more than a million people. There are only about 7000 residents of the city who are not natives, and of this number probably 100 are Americans. All the Europeans and Americans live together in a portion of the city which is well cared for and has excellent sanitary equipment. The death rate in this portion of the city is not to exceed 12 persons to the thousand each year, while the death rate in the parts of the ciyt whre th natives live runs as high as 40 to the thousand.

A TEXAS WONDER.

Hall's Great Discovery.

One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. Ernest W. Hall, Sole Manufacturer, P. O. Box 629; office, 2931 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists.

READ THIS.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 28, 1901.

Dr. E. W. Hall,
St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Sir: After using various Kidney cures for several years without any success, I was cured by less than one bottle of The Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery. I can conscientiously recommend it to all sufferers of Kidney troubles.

W. H. HILKENE,
1323 Goode avenue.

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Next Saturday's Post-Dispatch League Schedule.

PUBLIC SCHOOL LEAGUE.

Peabody vs. Arlington.

Elliot vs. Charless.

Garfield vs. winner of Blow-Irving game.

PAROCHIAL LEAGUE.

St. Teresa vs. St. Malachy.

Holy Name vs. Visitation.

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JUNIORS FIRST IN COCKED-HAT RACE

Won 5 Straight in Opening Matches of the Tournament.

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TONIGHT'S BOWLING TOURNEY SCHEDULE.

Merchants vs. Mound Citys, Crescent alleys.

Druggists vs. St. Louis, Acme alleys.

MONDAY'S RESULTS.

Centrals 4, North Ends 1.

Woodward & Tiernans 3, Office Men 2.

Junior Association 5, World's Fairs 0.

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It took better than a 50 average on the part of all the winning teams in Monday night's championship cocked hat games, to win a majority of contests from the enemy. The easiest time fell to the Juniors, who put it all over the World's Fairs, winning every set-to.

The Centrals found the North Ends to their liking, and won four games, while the Woodward & Tiernans had their hands full in taking three contests from the Office Men's Club team.

The Centrals did the best work of any of the fives, scoring an average of over 53 for the team, with Goetz leading, 55 2-5. All of the bowlers were well bunched in averages in this five, not a man dropping below 50. Pondrum's 59 2-5 for the Office Men was the highest average of the evening.

CLASH CAUSES A RESIGNATION

Secretary Benson of the Pastime Coursing Club Severs His Connection With That Organization.

As a result of the clash between John S. Bratton and Charles Robison of the Pastime Coursing Club, owing to a decision given by the latter while acting as judge at one of the meetings of the organization, Secretary Benson, who was one of the principal workers connected with the old organization, resigned last night.

Mr. Benson's sympathies were evidently with the judge in the dispute and the Bratton element being in the majority, the resignation of Mr. Benson was his only recourse. E. J. Brown is temporarily acting in Benson's place, pending the next election of officers.

Mr. Bratton announces that the stake event announced for next Sunday will be run as usual. Adolphus Busch will add $100 to the event.

Mr. Bratton proposes to add fox hunting and a high jumping competition to the list of attractions at the park.

ROWING AT WEST POINT.

Naval Cadets Want Annual Regatta With the Army Lads.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 6.—Annapolis cadets want to see rowing taken up at West Point.

The middies feel that an annual regatta between the institutions will, in time equal the national interest of the football struggle which yearly excites government officials and tears the heartstrings of the representatives of the army and navy, no matter in what quarter of the globe they may be following their duties.

There is a strong feeling at Annapolis in favor of such a competition. The middies are enthusiastic over the showing of the first and second eights in the races with Pennsylvania last week and will leave no stone unturned to bring West Point to their way of thinking.

TAAFFE NOT CONFIRMED.

Circuit Judges Refuse to Indorse Orthwein's Appointee.

The circuit judges, with the exception of Judge Talty, met in general term Tuesday morning and refused to confirm the appointment of Barney Taaffe as chief deputy in the circuit clerk's office.

Judge Talty was absent from the meeting. Taaffe was nominated for the position by Circuit Clerk Orthwein.

Ewing Estate Lots.

Malcolm Macbeth, as special cimmissioner, will close out tomorrow at 12 o'clock at the Real Estate Exchange, 29 choice lots of the Ewing estate. The property is located in South St. Louis in the vicinity of the old Ewing home on Iowa, Ohio, Indiana, Miami, Tennessee, Virginia and Louisiana avenues. The terms will be one-fourth cash.

YANGER CHAMPION SAYS JOHN HERTZ

Denies Turning Over 122 Pound Honors to McKenna's Protege.

Benny Yanger does not admit that Abe Attell is the 122-pound champion of the world. Johnny Hertz, the manager of the fast Chicago fighter, states that he never made the announcement, attributed to him, surrendering the honors of the featherweight class to Attell.

Following is a communication from Hertz, in which he repudiates sending a telegram to McKenna acknowledging Attell champion:

To the Sporting Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Dear Sir: I have read in the St. Louis papers that I telegraphed Jack McKenna to the effect that Yanger would never again do 122 pounds; that he had outgrown the featherweight limit, and that, in my opinion, Abe Attell was the featherweight champion. If Mr. McKenna, or anyone else, has informed you to this effect they are prevaricators. I never sent a telegram of this kind, nor did I ever say that Yanger would not do 122 pounds again. Let some aspiring featherweight pop up who wants to fight at 122, and then I will demonstrate whether Yanger will do this again or not. That he will never do it again for Attell, or any other man whom he has beaten, is a certainty.

Doing weight is anything but a picnic, and I want Yanger to derive some benefit when he reduces himself to such a low pitch. He can derive no benefit by licking Attell again. He licked him once, as he has licked every man he has ever fought, and if Mr. McKenna can derive any benefit from lying and throwing mud, let him do it.

Hoping that you will make some mention of this, Iam, your sincerely,

JOHN HERTZ.

Whatever Mr. Hertz may write on the subject, it is certain that McKenna exhibited a telegram, signed Yanger, acknowledging Attell champion, and stating that Yanger would never again make 122 pounds for him.

OPPOSE THE STAGE IRISHMAN

Ancient Order of Hibernians Starts a Crusade Against All Caricatures of the Race.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., May 6.—James P. Bree, national secretary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, has confirmed the reports that an organized effort is being made by Irish societies to discountenance caricatures of the Irish race on the stage and in the papers. Said Mr. Bree:

"The agitation is more for the education of the people than a movement against theatrical managers, actors and publishers. We recognize the fact that theatrical managers strive to give the people what they want and that these caricatures of the race would not be presented did not the people applaud them.

"We must not be considered oversensitive in the matter. What we object to is such characterizations as exploit the worst features of the race and that make capital of the failings of human nature and ascribe them wholly to a type of Irishman which does not exist.

"An Irishman can stand a joke just as well as a member of any other race, but he does not enjoy jokes that belittle him. This habit of caricatures extends to other nationalities and is calculated to bring them in an unfavorable light before the rising generation."

Congressman Salmon Dead.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., May 6.—Representative J. S. Salmon of the Fourth district of New Jersey died suddenly today at his home in Boonton. Apoplexy was the cause of his death. He was 56 years old and was serving his second term in Congress as a Democrat. A widow, two sons and a daughter survive him.

THREE CHICAGO VICTORIES MADE THE BROWNS "CHESTY"

James McAleer Goes to Detroit With a Bosom Expanded With Pride and Visions of the Pennant In His Eye.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS PRIOR TO TODAY'S GAMES

American League Standing.

Clubs—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Detroit	6	3	.667
St. Louis	6	4	.600
Philadelphia	6	4	.600
Boston	6	5	.545
Washington	5	6	.454
Chicago	4	5	.444
Baltimore	4	6	.400
Cleveland	4	8	.333

National League Standing.

Clubs—	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburg	13	2	.866
New York	10	5	.666
Chicago	7	5	.500
Boston	7	7	.500
Philadelphia	6	8	.429
Brooklyn	6	9	.400
Cincinnati	4	10	.286
St. Louis	3	10	.231

Yesterday's Results.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia 7, Washington 5.
Boston 5, Baltimore 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 2.
Pittsburg 6, Cincinnati 2.
Brooklyn 4, Boston 1.
New York 1, Philadelphia 0.

Today's Schedules.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Detroit.
Chicago at Cleveland.
Washington at Boston.
Baltimore at Philadelphia.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis at Chicago.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati.

Inflated by three successive victories over the Chicago team, Manager McAleer escorted an aggregation of swelling shirt fronts to Detroit yesterday.

Before his departure James McAleer gave a vivid idea of what a triumphal march the journey abroad was to be and what dire revenge would be visited upon the Detroit and Cleveland clubs for the humiliation inflicted by those teams on the Brownies earlier in the season.

The genial James states that victories will be as easy as peeling bananas when you are in a hurry, and that while he expects in the natural course of things he will have to allow the enemy a game now and then just to encourage him, the net result of the trip will be to cinch the pennant for the Browns.

James blows bubbles well. This bubble habit is a finicky occupation, and many blow ups result; but then just think how cute the little bubbles look!

Courts Are Puncturing Bubbles.

The courts appear to be the chief bubble puncturer this season, and in fact the decision in the injunction case is about the only thing that makes James' occupation of questionable usefulness. The Browns as they now stand may be reasonably certain of bringing home many victories from their present campaign; but shorn of the service of their best men, they will be lucky to exist.

Hedges says he will not play the men away from home should the courts enjoin them, but will fill out his team with catchers and pitchers. That means Friel at short, Maloney at center, and the team minus the services of a sure winning pitcher, Harper, always in event the injunction goes against the American.

Padden will go to pieces if Wallace is removed, and Maloney while he is an active young gentleman can neither bat, run nor field as Heidrick.

Hedges says the substitute arrangement will go, however, if the worst comes.

Nationals All Homeward Bound.

The National League team will return home tomorrow, after its game with Chisago today. The Philadelphia taem will open here on the second home series and the Cardinals should improve some. The other teams of the league are far from being Pittsburgs, and the locals have found their batting arms at last.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

St. Louis Juniors would like to hear from all teams in the 11 or 12-year-old class. For games address Dan Haley, 924A Hickory street.

The J. L. Bolands have organized with the following players: G. Steinkamp 1b, F. Kehlenbrdinck 2b, Jas. Barton 3b, M. Gier rf, W. Steinkamp lf, O. Miller cf, F. Kahman p, J. Gerhard c, L. Ryan ss. They would like to hear from all teams in the 14-year-old class. For games address George Steinkamp, 420 North Fourth street.

The Commodores claim the championship in the 14 and 15-year-old class, and would like to hear from all strong teams. For games address T. Conley, 214 South Eleventh street.

A good pitcher and a right fielder would like to sign with some strong team. Address Wm. Hanky, 2016 O'Fallon street.

The Elliott Blues would like to hear from all teams in the 14-year-old class. For games address Joe Clark, 1807 Elliot avenue.

The Niagaras added another game to their credit Sunday by defeating the Thompsons by a score of 16 to 5. They would like to hear from all teams in the 18-year-old class. For games address Fred Schurm, Jr., 4336 College avenue.

The Hanon Bakers defeated Company E Sunday morning by a score of 26 to 0.

The St. Louis Reds defeated the New St. Louis by a score of 25 to 3. The line-up was as follows: McSkimming 1b, R. Goerts 2b, C. Reismeyer 3b, R. Little p, R. Hoery c, L. Judge ss, R. Grim cf, H. Barthell lf, Lynch rf.

The Rawlings have returned from a trip through southwestern Missouri. All first-class semi-professional clubs out of the city wishing games address Jake Bene, 620 Locust street, St. Louis, Mo.

The Harts defeated the Flashlights by a score of 28 to 26. The Hart team is made up as follows: W. Cullen lf, P. Uler cf, Grim rf, H. Gedney ss, C. Limburg 3b, J. Cullen 2b, N. Gray 1b, Hildebrant c, Sidney p.

The West Pines defeated the White Stars by a score of 14 to 6. They would like to hear from all teams in the 14 and 15-year-old class. For games address Irving Steiner, 4013 West Pine boulevard.

The Way Down East team would like to sign three good allround players in the 17-year-old class. Address C. N. Smullen, 1920 East Grand avenue.

The Carondelet Rosebuds line up as follows: J. Maher c, R. Duffy p, W. Maher 1b, F. Gill 2b, P. Freeman 3b, P. McNulty lf, J. Cocklin cf, C. Calahan rf. They would like to hear from all teams in the 16 and 17 year old classes. For games address P. Freeman, 520 East Marceau street.

A good allround player would like to join some strong team in the 18-year-old class. Address William Klasky, 3721 Page boulevard.

The Horseshoe Juniors Club has organized for this season with the following players: Rob Diamond lf, E. Gallagher 1b, T. Hannibal 2b, J. Booth 3b, J. Donius ss, P. Lynch cf, J. Lee rf, J. Scheub c, W. Singer p. They would like to hear from all teams in the 13-year-old class. For games address J. Schaub, 2220 North Eleventh street.

A good pitcher would like to join some good amateur team in or out of the city. Address Lee Baker, 2800 South Seventh street.

SPORTING NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Tom Jenkins, champion heavyweight wrestler of the world, claims to be unsuccessful in landing a straight match with Jim Parr, and has decided to take the Englishman on in a handicap match. Jenkins has issued a challenge in which he offers to throw Parr twice within an hour for $1000. Parr said he would accept Jenkins' challenge if the Clevelander holds good to his boast. "I'll agree and sign articles after Tom has posted a forfeit," says Parr.

Frank Slavin, the Australian heavyweight, who was regarded as one of the best fighters in the heavyweight class and a rival of John L. Sullivan some few years ago, had the gloves on for the first time in years at Dawson, Alaska, Thursday night. He was knocked out in nine rounds by Nick Burley, the California middleweight. The battle was witnessed by an immense crowd of sporting men and miners, who wagered all kinds of money on the result. It is said that more than $20,000 changed hands. Slavin was the favorite in the betting.

Unless "Young Corbett," the featherweight champion, posts his forfeit of $1000 for his fight with Dave Sullivan in Denver on May 22, the match will fall through. Sullivan says he has grown tired of waiting for Corbett to put up his money and that if he does not post it in a few days he will call off the fight.

"Jack" McClelland has been offered 75 per cent of the gross receipts for a 20-round bout with "Young Corbett," to take place on May 24 at Toronto. He has accepted, but nothing has been heard from Corbett.

"Kid" Lavigne, the ex-lightweight champion, and "Jimmy" Britt, the clever California fighter, have been matched to meet in a 20-round bout before the San Francisco A. C. May 29. They will battle at 133 pounds for 60 per cent of the gross receipts, of which the winner will receive 75 per cent.

Charles J. Weiss has matched Frank Smith, better known as Joseph Herold, to wrestle Little Seven. The match is to be a preliminary to the Americus-Aikers bout, which is to take place on May 1. Herold agrees to throw Little Seven twice within 30 minutes or forfeit his purse.

George Dixon has put himself under the care of Ed Dunfee, the ex-Syracuse boxer, who will train the ex-champion for his match with Willie Smith of Toronto. Dixon will fight as a bantam.

BODY IN SETTLING BASIN.

An Unidentified Dead Man Found at Chain of Rocks.

The body of an unidentified man was found in one of the settling basins of the city reservoirs at Chain of the Rocks by F. L. Brown, who is in charge of the basins, Monday morning.

A saloonkeeper thinks it is the body of a farm hand employed on the farm of William Ballwig, two miles from the city.

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BARBER—Young man with one year's experience wants position in good shop; to serve. Ad. J. G., 2743 Morgan st.

BLACKSMITH HELPER—Sit. wanted; sober and steady. Ad. H. Henshaw, 1513 N. 18th st.

BOOKKEEPER—Competent and experienced bookkeeper desires position; can operate typewriter; capable correspondent; good references; salary $60. Ad. R 27, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. wanted by experienced bookkeeper; young man; moderate salary. Ad. P 42, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPER—Situation wanted as bookkeeper or bookkeeper and stenographer; can furnish reference; several years' experience. Ad. R 76, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Boy of 16 would like work of some kind; honest and willing. Ad. R 156, Post-Dispatch.

BOY—Sit. by boy of 18 to learn some trade, willing to work; has refs. Ad. R 155, Post-Dis.

BOY—A boy of 18 would like position of some kind to work evenings. Ad. R 79, Post-Dis.

BOY—Sit. wanted by strong boy of 16, to learn machinist or electrical trade; one week's trial free; don't fear to risk it; will guarantee satisfaction. Ad. O 10?, Post-Dispatch.

CLERK—Young man, 18 years old, desires a position in grocery; experienced; can furnish reference. Ad. P 7, Post-Dispatch.

COLLECTOR—Highly educated collector wants position; 10 years' rough-and-tumble experience, mixing with all classes of people; references, bond. Ad. R 71, Post-Dispatch.

DENTIST—A No. 1 mechanical dentist wishes position; strictly sober. Ad. R 96, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Young man would like to drive wagon, or any kind of steady work. Ad. P 44, P.-D.

DRIVER—Sit. wanted as driver. Emil Junka, 5001 Delmar bl.

DRUG CLERK—Situation wanted by drug clerk; 5 years' experience in prescription and retail business; can take care of soda fountain; with references. Ad. R 128, Post-Dispatch.

ENGINEER—Wanted, position as engineer on locomotive, or locomotive tram engineer; best of ref.; 15 years' experience. Ad. E., care John Keck, La Salle st., Belleville, Ill.

ENGINEER—Sit. wanted by first-class licensed engineer; married. W. Moersch, 2025 Carr st.

HOTEL MAN—Situation wanted by allround hotel man; best of reference. 2023 Walnut st.

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MAN—Situation wanted by man, two days' work a week, at house and carpet cleaning; best references. Ad. R 50, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a young man; work of any kind. Ad. P 97, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Situation wanted by handy allround man who has had experience in carpentering; can furnish best reference. Inquire J. W. McKenna, 3942 Evans av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man to drive delivery wagon. 1401 Market st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by an American man to work in private place; understands horses and general work; good refs. Ad. R 164, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sober young man, fair education, good character, good reference, neat appearance, 3 years' experience in retail business, desires steady and advancing position. Ad. E. B., 1531 Washington av.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a Swede to work around place; care of horses, yard, lawn, etc.; city ref. Ad. R 127, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Young man, 19 years old, would like position as collector for real estate firm or other office work; reference given. Ad. Wm. Stockmann, 1411 Carr st.

MAN—Married man wants work of any kind; can speak English and German; grocery preferred. 1522 Menard st.

MAN—Good colored man wishes position on railroad or street work; write or call three days. Johnson, 2623 Morgan st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man of 20; good business education; office experience; reference; salary $10. Ad. R 165, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man, 19, to learn the painters' trade. Ad. R 140, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by a young colored man in private family or hotel. 2214 Morgan st.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. wanted by colored man and wife to go away with family; best refs. 2211 Morgan st.

MAN—Sit. wanted by colored man for housework or porter's work. Ad. R 153, P.-D.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. wanted by colored man and wife; good city reference; understands care of horses; no children; house cleaning. Rear 2220 Lucas av.

MAN AND WIFE—Wanted, positions as camp cook or on boat or for luncheounter. Call or ad. Mr. W. H. Murpew, 103 N. 15th st.

MAN—A young man good at figures and experienced in office wants position with reliable firm; good references and bond. Ad. R 159, Post-Dis.

MAN AND WIFE—Want sit. to work out by day; house cleaning, etc. 706 Chouteau av. H. Miller.

MAN—Position wanted as driver by Christian and sober young man; can give refs. Ad. R 141, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Wanted, work of any kind; neat dresser; age 23; moral; good education and penman; experienced; references; prefer office or clerkship. Ad. R 73, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by neat-appearing, sober man; handy with tools; would like steady work or driving preferred; good refs. Ad. A. B. M., 1621 N. Leffingwell av.

MAN—Position wanted by competent, experienced willing married man in business house; penman, bookkeeper and clerk; refs. Ad. R 131, P.-D.

MAN—Sit. wanted by elderly German; private place; 1st-class gardener, florist and hostler; best refs. given. Ad. R 157, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by accurate, reliable man; steady habits; 9 years' general office and business experience, bookkeeping, canvassing, etc.; moderate salary; refs. Ad. O 11, Post-Dispatch.

MAN AND WIFE—Sit. in boarding house or private family by man and wife; first-class cook. 34 S. Leonard av.

MAN—Young man of 23 wishes position at office work or any kind of honorable work. Add. R 152, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by young man aged 20 to learn grocery or other good business. Address 6232 Gravois av.

MAN—Young colored man would like to travel with invalid or private family; best city reference. Ad. R 89, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by good worker; must have work. 4129 Fairfax av.

MAN—Situation wanted by man of 30; sober and steady; in a wholesale house; used to handling freight. Ad. R 77, Post-Dispatch.

MAN—Sit. wanted by married man, 30 years of age, with wholesale or importing house, as German correspondent and office assistant; salary reasonable; best of references furnished. Ad. P 6, Post-Dispatch.

MANAGER—Position wanted as manager or buyer of men's and boys' clothing department; 15 years' experience; energetic and progressive; best of references. Ad. N 101, Post-Dispatch.

MEAT CUTTER—Situation wanted by first-class meat cutter. Ad. R 84, Post-Dispatch.

PAINTER—Good reliable house, sign and decorative painter wants job work; satisfaction guaranteed; have tools. Ad. N 10, Post-Dispatch.

PRESSMAN—Situation wanted by A1 pressman and stereotyper combined; job on small newspaper. Ad. R 72, Post-Dispatch.

SALESMAN—Sit. wanted as clothing salesman or in office, with chance of advancement; by a young man. Ad. R 148, Post-Dispatch.

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SOBER, industrious, diligent, early and late; out of employment; small salary, good home, will secure services as above. Ad. R 56, Post-Dispatch.

SWITCHMAN—Sit. wanted as switchman; three years' experience; reference; write or call after 5 p. m. 2822 Clark av.

WAITER—An experienced arm waiter desires position at once. Ad. R 104, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—A young man would like position in bath parlor; will work cheap; best city reference. Ad. R 59, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—Young German wants work in dairy; able to milk 25 cows; please state wages. Ad. R 47, Post-Dispatch.

YOUNG MAN—Situation wanted by young man, 22 years old, in office; can furnish best of reference. Ad. R 92, Post-Dispatch.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BAKER WANTED—Second hand baker on bread and rolls. 2811 Wash st.

BAKER WANTED—A good steady bread and cake baker. Ad. R 139, Post-Dispatch.

BAKER WANTED—Good third hand baker. Old Homestead Bakery, 1038 N. Vandeventer.

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BARBER WANTED—At once. Apply Commercial bldg.

BARBER WANTED—Good, steady barber. 2943 Olive st.

BARBER WANTED—Good barber. 1014 Soulard.

BARBER WANTED—Barber. 613 Franklin av.

BARBER WANTED—A good barber; steady job. 23 S. 20th st.

BARBER WANTED—Steady man. 1913 Franklin av.

BENCH HANDS WANTED—Bench hands in stair shop. Prairie and Lucky.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Young man, experienced bookkeeper; state salary, experience and reference. Ad. R 55, Post-Dispatch.

BOOKKEEPERS WANTED—By a large department store, two thoroughly practical bookkeepers, also an auditor; only those thoroughly conversant with a department store system need apply. Address by letter only, giving experience and reference, The Meyer Store, Broadway and Washington av.

BOY WANTED—Boy about 16 years old to work in grocery. 3900 Park av.

BOY WANTED—Boy to work in bakery shop. 2201 Warren st.

BOY WANTED—Good strong boy to work around store and deliver. 2300 Franklin av.

BOYS WANTED—Few neat little boys, German preferred, of good parents, in umbrella store. 1332 Franklin av.

BOYS WANTED—Boys at once for a concert band. For particulars, 1810½ Benton st.

BOY WANTED—Wideawake, neat boy, about 15, to travel with blind man; $4 week and expenses. 117 S. 6th st., upstairs.

BOY WANTED—Good boy to learn tinner trade. 6725 S. Broadway.

BOY WANTED—For barber shop; white or colored. 1336 N. Garrison av.

BOYS WANTED—10 boys, from 8 to 14; at once. Schaper Bros.

BOY WANTED—A colored boy to take care of horse, drive and make himself useful; references. 4129 Morgan st.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy 15 years old; must be bright and neat. Progress Mfg. Co., 717 Lucas av.

BOYS WANTED—To try Harris' $2 shoes; made for good wear. 409-411 N. 6th st., the best appointed and roomiest shoe store in St. Louis.

BOY WANTED—Office boy from 15 to 18 years old; one preferred having some knowledge of architectural or mechanical drawing; state reference and salary expected. Ad. R 154, P.-D.

BOY WANTED—Colored boy 12 to 14 years; must bring references or parents must call. Irwin & C., 913 Pine st.

BOYS WANTED—Boy experienced in baker trade; also one to learn. 707 S. Broadway.

BOY WANTED—Office boy; quick at figures and writing a good hand. Address with references R 160, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Errand boy. Ad. R 46, Post-Dis.

BOY WANTED—Experienced boy in dairy lunchroom; no Sunday work. 308 Chestnut st.

BOY WANTED—Boy 14 to 16 years to make himself generally useful in store; refs. required. Apply 708 N. Broadway.

BOY WANTED—A neat boy to learn machinist's trade. 4146 Ashland av.

BOY WANTED—Good, stout boy, age 16 or 17, at Premium Mfg. Co., 1008 St. Charles st. Call Wednesday morning 8 a. m.

BOYS—A brush and can of Pure Floor Paint will work wonders on the kitchen floor; try it while you wait. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., 620 Franklin av.

BOY WANTED—A boy about 15 or 16 years, of an amiable disposition and of good, practical Catholic parents; he will have all the advantages of a good home and even a college education; a good orphan boy desirous of advancement or one of humble but respectable parents preferred; this is a rare opportunity. Ad. R 99, Post-Dispatch.

BOY WANTED—Strong boy 16 to 18 years old to assist in washroom. 1745 S. 18th st.

BUGGY WASHER WANTED—Buggy washer and hostler; single men preferred. Apply at 925 N. 7th st.

BUSHELMAN WANTED—Tailor bushelman. MacCarthy-Evans Tailoring Co., 820 Olive st.

CABINET MAKER WANTED—Good cabinet maker. Apply 1002 N. Broadway.

CARD WRITER WANTED—Plain card writer; must also make himself generally useful in grocery. A. Moll Grocer Co., 618 Franklin av.

CARPENTER WANTED—Carpenter at 1430 Dolman st. William Franke.

CLERK WANTED—Clerk who worked in saloon and grocery. Call after 4 p. m., 1333 Pine st.

CLERK WANTED—First-class grocery clerk. Northwest corner Jefferson and Montgomery.

CLERK WANTED—Grocer clerk; reference required. Call at 1906 Park av.

COATMAKER WANTED—Coat and pantsmaker. Apply T. Burkhart, 310 Broadway, East St. Louis.

COOK WANTED—Good man for second cook. 2319 Olive st.

COOK, ETC., WANTED—One second cook, 2 men walters, at Collier's Hotel, Granite City, Ill.

CUTTER WANTED—Cutter or superintendent for small planing mill; state experience, also salary wanted. Ad. R 85, Post-Dispatch.

CUTTER WANTED—Cutter and cloth cutter. MacCarthy-Evans Tailoring Co., 820 Olive st.

DESIGNER WANTED—And pattern maker for ladies' shirtwaists; must have factory experience; no other need apply. 712 N. 10th st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Colored dishwasher; male or female. French Restaurant, 1730 Olive.

DRAFTSMAN WANTED—A structural draftsman for detailing steel. Maule, Hannah & Co., Chemical Bldg.

DRIVER WANTED—Carriage driver and harness cleaner; come prepared for work. 2115 California av.

DRIVERS WANTED—4 drivers for dirt wagons. Call in rear 1722 Leffingwell av. after 6 o'clock.

DYER WANTED—A good dyer; also a good cleaner; Central Steam Dye Works, 4430 Easton av.

EDGE CUTTER WANTED—On woman's work and McKay work. Peters Shoe Co., No. 1, 11th and North Market sts.

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ENGINEER AND FIREMAN—Scholarship in any branch of engineering given away under certain conditions. For particulars adress A. E. Beardsley, 7307 Michigan av.

GARDENER, ETC., WANTED—A 1st-class gardener and milker, on gentleman's place; bring references; liberal wages. F. P. Kaiser, 503 Mermod & Jaccard bldg.

GEAR MAN WANTED—Good gear man to put up gears; steady work. Union Carriage Co.

GENTLEMAN WANTED—Who writes Bohemian fluently. 2933 Henrietta st.

HELPER WANTED—Helper in a cornice shop. 2349 S. Broadway.

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LABORERS WANTED—Teamsters, wagon dumpers, wheeler holders and men for grubbing. Skinker road and Lindell av. Moloney & Morrison.

LABORERS WANTED—Plumber's laborers. W. J. Hill, 4071 Easton av.

LABORERS WANTED—Colored, for cemetery; Goodfellow av., 10 blocks north of Easton; 20c and 22c per hour. John F. McMahon.

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HELP WANTED—MALE.

LABORERS WANTED—10 laborers, at Chippewa and Grand av., St. Anthony's Hospital, tomorrow morning; light work. Wm. Ryan.

LABORERS WANTED—And teams; Grand and Laclede, Belt and Delmar; money any time.

LABORERS WANTED—50 laborers, teamsters; $1.75 day; new work; summer's work; office fee $1; ship today. National Employment Co., 113 N. 6th st.

LABORERS WANTED—White laborers. Apply at Trudeau and Kosciusko sts.

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LABORERS WANTED—Apply at 2800 De Kalb.

MACHINIST WANTED—Good machinist on lathe and vise work; steady job; give reference. Ad. R 133, Post-Dispatch.

MACHINIST WANTED—Machinist for shaper work. N. O. Nelson Mfg. Co., 8th and St. Charles sts.

MAN WANTED—A colored man on private place; horse, lawn, etc. 205 N. 6th st.

MAN WANTED—Reliable, intelligent white man for farm and dairy work. 4032 Goodfellow av.

MAN WANTED—For general work about the house. Apply side entrance, 3418 Washington.

MAN WANTED—A strong young man, about 18 years of age, for porter work. Apply to Geo. D. Barnard & Co., Laclede and Vandeventer avs.

MAN AND WIFE WANTED—German man and wife on farm; wife to cook and man to do farm work. Nevins Mfg. Co., 2226 Chouteau av.

MAN WANTED—Good man gardener and general work. R. H. Clifford, 612 Burlington bldg.

MAN WANTED—A middle-aged man or couple to take charge of a country club and make same their home. Apply to H. Bentz, 208 N. Broadway.

MAN WANTED—Man for garden work. Inquire for Peter Kolb at 837 N. 3d st. Wednesday morning between 6 and 7; German preferred.

MAN WANTED—Young man to do busheling, with some experience in retail clothing. Ad. R 106, Post-Dispatch.

MAN WANTED—Young man who has had some experienced in machine shop to learn to make dies for bolt cutter. Apply 3903 Kennerly av. or Main and Florida. Moran Bolt and Nut Co.

MAN WANTED—Colored man for house and dining room work; city reference required. 3741 West Pine st.

MAN WANTED—Elderly man to work around house, in bakery. 3202 Laclede av.

MANAGER WANTED—A good man with $500 cash bond to manage and take charge of branch office of St. Louis corporation in East St. Louis; good salary and money secured by collateral. Ad. R 48, Post-Dispatch.

MANAGER WANTED—A good manager for restaurant; must give bond. Ad. R 148, Post-Dis.

MEAT CUTTER WANTED—Good German meat cutter. 1104 O'Fallon st.

MEN WANTED—25 good men, 8th and Gratiot sts.; month's work; in morning. W. J. Redmond.

MEN WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required; special inducements until May 15; positions guaranteed; wages Saturdays; scholarship, board and tools to applicants from distance; call or write. Moler Barber College, 1141 Market st.

MEN WANTED—We want men of good standing and education in each town of 2000 population or over to represent the Tabard Inn Library, to enroll members and to attend to the distribution and exchange of books; men who make a success of working up their territory will be advanced to good salaried positions in larger towns and cities; the Tabard Inn is a new department of the booklovers—the largest circulating library in the world; give references and address W. F. Smith, Mgr. Sub. Dept., The Booklovers' Library, Philadelphia.

MEN WANTED—Twenty men at machinery Hall, World's Fair Grounds; $1.75 per day. Carroll Cont. Co.

MEN WANTED—20 men on Chestnut st., between 4th and 5th, Wednesday morning. John A. Lynch.

MEN WANTED—Shovelers, 20c per hour; apply south gate Bellefontaine Cemetery, Florissant av. John F. McMahon.

MEN WANTED—To get their measure taken; $10 suits, $2.50 pants. Klein, 1617½ Market st.

MEN—To wear Regent $3.50 shoes, formerly at 812 Olive, now on sale at Wolff's, 105-7 N. Broadway.

MEN WANTED—To try Harris' custom toe handmade $4 shoe. 407 N. 6th st.

MEN WANTED—Married men, harnessmakers preferred, to do leather work; good wages. Apply Koken Barbers' Supply Co., 913 Market st.

MEN WANTED—15 men on 25th and Mullanphy sts. Wednesday morning. James Corcoran.

MEN WANTED—Ten men, $2 per day, at 9th and Spruce sts. Ed Keary.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—Ten men, $2.00 per day, and 10 teams at Broadway and Franklin. Ed Keary.

MEN AND TEAMS WANTED—25 men and 15 teams on Broadway and Wright st. Wednesday morning. James Corcoran.

MESSENGER BOY WANTED—2319 Chestnut st.

MOLDERS WANTED—Bench molders and squeezer machine operators. Carondelet Foundry Co., 2128 S. King's highway.

NOTICE—To all brickmakers and laborers—Stay away from St. Louis, Mo.; strike on. International Brick, Tile & Terra Cotta Workers, Local No. 57. FRANK J. BROOKS.

OFFICE BOY WANTED—Office boy; must write good hand and be rapid and familiar with filing system. 620 N. Broadway.

PAINTERS WANTED—First-class workmen. F. L. McGinness Painting Co., 410 N. 11th st.

PAINTERS WANTED—Several non-union painters. N. Leaven & Co., Ferguson, Mo.

PAINTER WANTED—Painter that can grain walnut. Apply Martin's Drug Store, Channing and Olive, at 8 a. m. in morning.

PAINTER WANTED—A first-class painter; 40c per hour; steady work; call at once. 208 Emilie bldg., 904 Olive st.

PAINTER WANTED—First-class painter at Westmoreland Hotel, Taylor and Maryland av.

PAINTERS WANTED—15 painters, 40c per hour; call at once after 6 p. m. 4151 Newstead av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—First-class paper hangers and fresco painters. Newcomb Bros. Wallpaper Co., 7th and Locust sts.

PAPER HANGER WANTED—Sayman, 2121 Franklin av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—Union; steady work. Wright & Gilmore Decorating Co., Grand and Windsor pl.

PAPERHANGERS WANTED—5 union paperhangers. William Glynn, 3537 Easton av.

PAPER HANGERS WANTED—All members of the Independent Paper Hangers' Union are requested to attend regular meeting at Hashagen Hall, corner Leonard and Easton avs., Tuesday at 8 p. m. Fred Schulz, President.

PASTE BOY WANTED—Pasteboy at 4446 Gibson av.

PASTE BOY WANTED—Experienced paste boy; good wages. Apply 3336 Pine st.

PLASTERERS WANTED—10 union plasterers; two months' work. W. J. Stapleton, 380 Trumbull, Detroit, Mich.

PORTER WANTED—Colored porter. Sam's place, 2200 Pine st.

PORTER WANTED—Porter for saloon. 726 Chouteau av.

PORTER WANTED—Colored porter for dining room. 2319 Olive st.

PORTER WANTED—Call 1630 Olive st.

PORTER WANTED—A young man as porter. Vienna Restaurant, 6th and Pine sts.

PRESSER WANTED—First-class presser; at once. American Dye Works, 1117 N. Vandeventer av.

PRIVATE diseases a specialty at Franklin Avenue Free Dispensary. 1214 Franklin av.

REGENT $3.50 shoes for sale now at Wolff's Shoe Dept., 105-7 N. Broadway.

SCROLL WORKERS WANTED—Scroll workers and railing makers. Ludlow-Saylor Wire Co., Wabash Railroad and Newstead av.

SHOEMAKER WANTED—A shoemaker; at once. 1025 N. Vandeventer.

SHOVELERS WANTED—50 shovelers or laborers on River Des Peres job; World's Fair Grounds. Rich Con. Co.

SKIRTMAKER WANTED—Experienced skirtmaker; good pay, steady work. 821 N. 12th st., third floor.

STOVE MAN WANTED—Suitable for second-hand furniture store. Jefferson and Franklin Furniture Co., 2331 Franklin av.

STOVE MOUNTERS WANTED—Five or six first-class stove mounters. Apply to Cribben & Sexton Co., 50 E. Erie st., Chicago, Ill.

TAILOR WANTED—Young tailor with experience. Apply 1106 N. 16th st.

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HOUSEGIRL—Sit. by colored girl as housegirl; no washing or ironing; good wages expected. Apply 2645 Market st.

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WOMAN—German woman wants office scrubbing to do. 932 N. 15th st.

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COOK WANTED—Girl to cook; willing to assist in housework; no washing or ironing. 3468 Longfellow bl.

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COOK WANTED—First-class cook. 2740 Locust st.

COOK WANTED—Experienced cook to assist laundry work. 3630 Pine st.

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COOK WANTED—A good woman cook. 1910 S. Jefferson av.; wages $35 per month.

COOK WANTED—Good girl or woman cook; no washing or ironing; best wages. 4473 West Belle pl.

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DISHWASHER WANTED—White man dishwasher at 2005 Olive st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—1015 Olive st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Woman dishwasher; also waitress and woman cook; good wages. 2908 Olive st.

DISHWASHER WANTED—Woman dishwasher; in restaurant. 206 N. 14th st.

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GIRL WANTED—Girl for dining room work. 2716 Locust st.

GIRL WANTED—A good girl in small family; no colored need apply. 3901½ Finney av.

GIRL WANTED—Small girl at 1015 High st.

GIRL WANTED—A colored girl for cooking and laundry work in small family. 3837 Delmar bl.

GIRL WANTED—Neat dining room girl for restaurant. 717 Chouteau av.

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GIRLS WANTED—15 girls for sewing on power machines; steady work. 4050 Olive st.

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GIRL WANTED—Girl for kitchen work. 2000 De Kalb.

GIRL WANTED—Girl to cook and assist in other work; no washing or ironing. Call 6119 Easton.

GIRL WANTED—A good German girl for dining room. 2900 S. 7th st.

GIRL WANTED—At 3887 Easton av.; one who can cook short orders.

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GIRL WANTED—To cook and assist in laundry; references required. 3706 Pine st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. Apply 3120 Locust st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; must be good cook. Apply at 3413 Lucas.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 1704 N. Grand av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. 1908 Rutger st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no outside work; good pay. 3709 N. 9th st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl for light housework; must be neat appearing. 4200 Evans.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—A reliable colored woman for general housework. 3144 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do housework; age 18 to 20; good home. 1308A Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; $15. 3921 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl, 14 years old, to assist with light housework. Miss H., 3744 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist in housework; no washing; can go home at night. Call 2101 Franklin av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good white girl for general housework; family of four. Goldman, 809 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A German girl for general housework. 4046 Cook av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework, washing and ironing. 4185 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A white girl to assist in general housework; no children. 2330 Wash st.

HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—One or two good girls to assist in general housework. 2841 Dayton st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to assist with housework; white or bright colored girl. 3427 Morgan st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A first-class girl for general housework; no washing; wages $18. 1628 Morgan st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2642 Rutger st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Call 2801 Morgan st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good German girl for general housework; small family. 1329 Clara av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3631 Flad av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two adults. 2830 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good, reliable girl to assist in housework; no washing; good wages. 4473 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; reference. 940 Hamilton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl for general housework. 1422 Wash st.; call at once.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3713 Thompson, between Natural Bridge rd. and Harper st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to assist with general housework; wages $8 a month. 2923 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of 3; keep other help; references required. Apply room 42 Hotel Berlin.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do light housework in small family; good wages. Call 2806 University st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing; two in family. 3847 Pine st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 3800A Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Housegirl for small family; no children; small washing; good home. 1348 N. Garrison av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4561 Cote Brilliante av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl for general housework; no washing or ironing; small family. 3725 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do house and dining room work. 3407 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4158A McPherson av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; flat; German preferred; call at once. 4330 Laclede av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German girl to assist in general housework. 1824 S. 18th st., bakery.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl to assist with general housework. 724 N. Spring av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—No washing; good wages. 2726 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. 1120 Morrison av., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in family of two; references required. 3654A Laclede av.; ring upper bell.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; $15. 3931 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Colored girl for general housework; go home at night. 3222 Bell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework and care of 3-year-old child; no washing nor ironing; can go home nights or not. 724 S. 6th st., 2d floor.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A first-class housegirl at 5341 Waterman av., city; must be able to do plain sewing; reference.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A housegirl; colored preferred. 3069 Washington av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; German preferred. 4420 West Belle pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3647A Botanical av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2029 Walnut st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call 1602 Market st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for housework; come ready to work. 406 Lucas av., upstairs.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Mulatto girl for general housework; 3 in family; keep man to assist. 3605 Delmar bl.

HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—Two girls for boarding house. 1801 N. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—Two girls for house and dining room work. 509 S. 22d st.

HOUSEGIRLS WANTED—Two girls for boarding house. 2022 N. Broadway.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; also laundress; call this afternoon. 3065 Bell av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Good German girl for general housework. 1800 Chouteau av.

HOUSEWOMAN WANTED—Woman or girl for general housework; good home; Christian people. 3024 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family. Apply 1408 Stewart pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl to do general housework. Apply 1316 Biddle st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework; all modern conveniences; no washing; good wages. 4215 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A white girl for general housework. 3437 Lucas av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good white girl for general housework; with or without washing. 2939 Olive st.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl or woman for general housework. 726 Chouteau av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family; Sunday afternoons and evenings off; $10. 2840 Lafayette av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; small family; $16 to $20. 5670 Cabanne av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White or colored girl to assist in housework and care of child; small flat. 4626 Page bl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A neat German girl for general housework; two in family. 2841A Sullivan av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A young girl to assist in general housework; no washing or ironing. 3634 Cleveland av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A good girl, about 16, to assist in housework; no washing or ironing. 3538 Lawton av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call 1401 Missouri av.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Young girl to assist with general housework. 4418 West Belle pl.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—A girl for general housework; no washing. 4567 Morgan st.

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HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 5564 Chamberlain av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3814 Windsor pl.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—German or colored girl for general housework. Call 1225 Goodfellow av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for small family; good place; references. 3855 Flad av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 4242A Garfield av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—White girl for general housework. 717 Leonard av.

HOUSEGIRL WANTED—Girl for general housework. 3219 S. 7th st.

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LADY WANTED—A first-class demonstrater; bring ref. Apply Laclede Hotel, room 30.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Must be good ironer; call at once. 5441 Page bl.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Good colored laundress. 5212 Maple av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—To take washing; four persons. Call 2840 Whittemore pl.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—A white laundress for family washing and ironing. 4736 Cottage av.

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LAUNDRESS WANTED—To wash and iron two days every other week; small family of three; $1 per day and two meals. Call 1226 Missouri.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—Experienced laundress; at once; steady work. 3721 Laclede av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—German laundress to wash and iron by day. 4455 Page av.

LAUNDRESS WANTED—White woman to do family washing. 1824 Nebraska av.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED—Two experienced machine girls and one waist ironer. Monarch Laundry Co., 2310-12 North Market st.

MACHINE HANDS WANTED—Muslin underwear and skirtwaists; good wages; steady work. L. Friedman & Co., 411 N. 11th st.

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NURSE WANTED—A white nurse for infant; light work; good wages. 3142 Locust st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Good nursegirl; white. 3854 Pine st.

NURSE WANTED—Woman wanted to nurse invalid baby; only experienced one need apply. 3147 Locust st.

NURSE WANTED—Good nurse for two children. 4413 Olive st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—A nursegirl. 3801 Lindell av.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Between 14 and 15 years old. 2740 Locust st.

NURSEGIRL WANTED—Nursegirl; also girl for general housework; no washing. 1408 Stewart pl.

NURSE WANTED—Colored woman to nurse sick colored girl; apply at once. 3147 Locust st.

OPERATOR WANTED—One first-class operator on custom pants. J. W. Losse Progressive Tailoring Co., 807-809 N. 6th st.

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PRESSER, ETC., WANTED—Presser and hand sewer on vests, and one to learn. 1800 Menard.

SALESLADY WANTED—Experienced dry goods saleslady and one to sew on wrappers. 1320 Monroe st.

SEAMSTRESS WANTED—Seamstress to help dressmaker; also apprentice; small wages while learning. 3927 Finney av.

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SKIRT HELPER WANTED—Skirt helper at once. Call 3408 Clark av.

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SUSPENDER MAKERS WANTED—Experienced suspender makers; steady work; good pay. Apply 411 N. 11th st., Ferguson-McKinney D. G. Co.

WAISTMAKERS WANTED—Experienced; good pay. Queen Waist Co., 830 N. 8th st.

WAISTMAKERS WANTED—Waist and skirtmakers; good wages. 724 N. Spring av.

WAITRESS WANTED—1015 Olive st.

WAITRESS WANTED—A waitress, one who has had some experience preferred. 16 N. 4th st.

WAITRESS WANTED—Waitress at Universal Lunch Room, 918 Olive st.

WAITRESSES, ETC. WANTED—Waitresses $20; counter girls $18; country; pass. Miller Employment Co., 107 N. 8th st.

WAITRESS WANTED—1st-class, neat waitresses. Vienna Restaurant, 6th and Pine sts.

WASHERWOMAN WANTED—Upstairs, 1623 Carr st.; call after 5 o'clock or in morning.

WOMAN WANTED—Reliable woman to help care for two children and do housework; no washing or ironing. 5040 Delmar bl.

WOMAN WANTED—Settled white woman for general housework in flat. 1709A Washington av.

WOMAN WANTED—Married woman to take care of furnished rooms. 1307 Pine st.

WOMAN WANTED—To take home small washing. 3634A Evans av.

WOMAN WANTED—A middle-aged German woman and one young girl to do housework. 1414 Franklin av.

WOMAN WANTED—Colored woman for general housework; no laundry work. Apply 5356 Vernon av.

WOMAN WANTED—Good laundry woman; call Wednesday morning ready to work. 2737 Lucas.

WOMAN WANTED—Steady white woman; general housework; no washing; $3 a week. 2737 Lucas av.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to patch bags. 216 N. Commercial st.

WOMEN WANTED—At once, two strong women to wash bottles. 1531 N. 9th st.

WOMAN WANTED—A middle-aged German woman for cooking, general housework. 2115 Market.

WOMAN WANTED—Woman to work in restaurant. 4465 Easton av.

WOMEN AND GIRLS WANTED—Women and girls to make rubber shoes. Trade easily learned; good wages can be made. Apply Monarch Rubber Co.'s factory, Baden, North St. Louis.

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FINISHER WANTED—An experienced, high-grade shirt finisher; steady work guaranteed. Paul E. Wolff Shirt Co., 815 Washington av.

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FINISHERS WANTED—Finishers and ladies' clothes ironers. Lindell Hotel Laundry.

FINISHERS, ETC., WANTED—Experienced shirt finishers and waist ironers; men or women. Imperial Laundry, 2807-11 Chouteau av.

GIRLS WANTED—Experienced girls to wrap bundles. Apply at Grand Laundry, 3040 Lawton av.

GIRL WANTED—Girl 15 or 16 years old to learn starching. Century Laundry, 3319 Manchester av.

IRONER WANTED—Girl to iron; at once; easy work. 810 St. Charles st.

IRONERS WANTED—Experienced shirt ironers and finishers; steady work. At Paul E. Wolff Shirt Laundry, 408 N. 3d st., 3d floor.

IRONERS AND FINISHERS WANTED—Experienced ironers and finishers; steady work; apply at Paul E. Wolff Shirt Laundry, 408 N. Third st., third floor.

IRONER WANTED—An experienced neckband ironer. Apply Standard Laundry Co., 7110 S. Broadway.

IRONERS WANTED—Shirtwaist ironers. Schaab Laundry Co., 2300 Walnut.

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BARRY ST., 152—Two rooms and kitchen; $5.50; rooms and stable back.

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BROADWAY, 513 S.—Clean, nicely furnished small and large rooms; $1.25, $1.50 per week.

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CARR ST., 1727—Neatly furnished room for light housekeeping; $1.50 week; all conveniences.

CARR ST., 6.0—Light housekeeping; everything new; gentlemen, $1 week; transient, $1 night.

CASS AV., 2204—Furnished rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping; $1 and $1.50 week.

CHESTNUT ST., 1501—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping or roomers; $1 per week and up.

CHOUTEAU AV., 1516—Elegant second-story front; also adjoining room; upstairs; private family.

CHOUTEAU AV., 3144—Nice little room, furnished for housekeeping; $1.25 week.

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CLARK AV., 3020—Unfurnished rooms for rent.

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COMPTON AV., 1021 N.—Comfortable furnished rooms, complete for housekeeping; low price; private family.

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COOK AV., 3932A—Two nicely furnished rooms; $10 month each; hall room $5.

COOK AV., 3931—Elegant front room and board; couple or gentlemen; service first class.

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DELMAR BL., 3915—Well furnished room, suitable for one or two gentlemen; 3 car lines; private family.

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EASTON AV., 4205—One large room, furnished for light housekeeping; hall room for two.

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EASTON AV., 4342—Nicely furnished room, with gas and bath; no other roomers.

EIGHTEENTH ST., 910 N.—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, also for one or two gents.

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FINNEY AV., 3732—Furnished front and other desirable rooms; gas, bath; terms reasonable.

FOURTEENTH ST., 110 N.—Three elegantly furnished rooms; all conveniences.

FRANKLIN AV., 615—Furnished front room, second floor; so. ex.; reasonable; side entrance.

FRANKLIN AV., 2925—Room for housekeeping; $2 per week; Suburban car line.

FRANKLIN AV., 1730—Rear; 3 clean rooms, second floor; large yard; $7.50 month.

GAMBLE ST., 2936—Neatly furnished room; gents or ladies employed; southern exposure.

GASCONADE ST., 2222—Nice furnished room; two gentlemen.

GLASGOW PL., 3059A—Large, cool, southern exposed, furnished sleeping room; in small family of adults; bath; conveniences.

GRAND AV., 1439 N.—Three nicely furnished rooms in private family; reference.

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GRAND AND WASHINGTON AVS.—Southeast corner, furnished room.

JEFFERSON AV., 1231 S.—Nicely furnished room; one or two gentlemen.

JEFFERSON AV., 1231 S.—Two furnished rooms; light housekeeping; $10 month.

JEFFERSON AV., 1645 S.—Neatly furnished front rooms, second floor, with alcove; all convs.

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LACLEDE AV., 2945—Nicely furnished rooms; 1st floor; southern exposure.

LACLEDE AV., 3331—Rooms furnished or unfurnished; bath.

LA SALLE ST., 900—Nicely furnished front room for one or two gentlemen.

LAWTON AV., 3202—Neatly furnished rooms; suitable for two men or man and wife.

LAWTON AV., 3142—Nicely furnished large housekeeping rooms; water in rooms; $2 weekly.

LAWTON AV., 3035—Double parlors, complete for light housekeeping, $3.50 week to small family.

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LOCUST ST., 2608—The Ericsson; remodeled; newly furnished rooms, with bath; reasonable; gentlemen only; telephone and hotel service.

LOCUST ST., 3216—Desirable furnished room for two gentlemen or couple; all convs.

LOUISIANA AV., 1900—Nice room with alcove and bath; opposite park.

LUCAS AV., 2802—Clean furnished rooms, private family.

LUCAS AV., 3416—Newly furnished second-floor front; all conveniences; one or two gentlemen.

LUCAS AV., 2704-06—Furnished large front room for two gentlemen or housekeeping; reas.

LUCAS AV., 3224—Newly furnished rooms; for gentlemen only; hot and cold bath.

MARKET ST., 814—Furnished rooms from $1.25 per week up.

MARKET ST., 1501—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping or without; $1 to $2 per week; strictly respectable.

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MORGAN ST., 3307—Furnished front room, southern exposure.

MORGAN ST., 2631—Four large unfurnished rooms suitable for 1 or 2 families; 2d floor.

MORGAN ST., 2847—Two hall bedrooms; southern exposure; extra large windows; also light housekeeping and other rooms.

MORGAN ST., 3322—Two nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences, including telephone.

NINTH ST., 815 N.—Nicely furnished front rooms; gentlemen or light housekeeping; $1 week up.

OLIVE ST., 1803—Furnished rooms.

OLIVE ST., 2124—Basement; small reliable family; will take work for rent.

OLIVE ST., 3752—Nicely furnished second-story front room, with modern conveniences.

OLIVE ST., 2648A—And 2636 Pine st.—Rooms for housekeeping; $2; visitors accommodated.

OLIVE ST., 1605—Hall room; $1.25 per week.

OLIVE ST., 2645—Furnished front room, two employed ladies; private family.

OLIVE ST., 1615—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping or roomers; $1 per week and up.

OLIVE ST., 2913—Completely furnished housekeeping room, $2 week; also furnished room, $1.25.

OLIVE ST., 3212—Nicely furnished front room; 1st floor; also room for housekeeping.

OLIVE ST., 1318 AND 1320—Opposite Exposition, newly fur. front and rear parlors; screens.

OLIVE ST., 2827—Handsomely furnished rooms; second floor; for light housekeeping if desired; reasonable terms; all conveniences.

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PINE ST., 1903—Nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping or roomers; $1 week up.

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SIXTEENTH ST., 1439 N.—Two connecting, completely furnished housekeeping rooms; stoves, refrigerator, etc.; reasonable and respectable.

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SIXTH ST., 1401 N.—Large room for housekeeping; also one for baching; $1.25 and $1.50.

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THERESA AV., 522 N.—Neatly furnished rooms; second story front and other rooms.

THERESA AV., 517—Newly furnished house; elegant porcelain baths; rooms, $1.50 upward.

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THOMAS ST., 2956—Four lovely rooms, with bath, laundry and gas; corner house; rent reasonable.

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WASH ST., 1612—Large room, second floor.

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WASHINGTON AV., 3123—Handsomely furnished rooms; large and light; hot bath, gas; southern exposure.

WASHINGTON AV., 2717—Neatly furnished rooms with southern exposure.

WASHINGTON AV., 3150—Furnished front room; no other roomers.

WASHINGTON AV., 2628—Basement, furnished or unfurnished, in exchange for work and wages.

WASHINGTON AV., 3140—Elegantly furnished 2d-story front and other desirable rooms; all conv.

WASHINGTON AV., 3021—Nicely furnished front and back parlors; reasonable to two or three; fine location.

WEST BELLE PL., 4100—Large, beautiful second story front room; alcove; excellent table; $50.

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COOK AV., 3656—Nicely furnished room; 1st-class board; all conveniences; reasonable; private fam.

COOK AV., 3673—Nicely furnished second story front room; so. ex.; with board; all convs.

DELMAR BL., 3894—Nicely furnished, bright room with excellent board, for two.

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FINNEY AV., 4297W.—Two furnished front rooms with or without board; so. ex.

FINNEY AV., 3809—Second story front room, so. ex., with board, for two; private family.

FINNEY AV., 3650—Second story furnished front room with board; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

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LOCUST ST., 2741—Second-story front, large alcove; conv.; so. ex.; excellent table; pure drinking water; 4 gentlemen; $4 per week.

LOCUST ST., 1631—Front and back parlor; 2d story front and side rooms; good board.

LOCUST ST., 2716—Furnished hall room; $3.50 week, with board.

LOCUST ST., 3006—Nicely furnished rooms and board; bath, gas; reasonable.

LOCUST ST., 2930—Rooms with board; rates to men or families without children; Kinloch C 738.

LUCAS AV., 3323—Nicely furnished third floor front; very large room; with board.

LUCAS AV., 3311—Large room; good board; for two gentlemen; also day board.

LUCAS AV., 3229—Fine 2d-story front and connecting room with board; hot bath and gas; cars stop in front of door; 20 minutes to World's Fair grounds.

LUCAS AV., 3225—Furnished rooms for gentlemen; modern conveniences, with or without breakfast.

LUCAS AV., 2825—Large front room, with board; southern exposure; for two persons employed.

LUCAS AV., 3336—Nicely furnished room; so. ex.; for gentlement; first-class board.

LUCAS AV., 2916—Second story front and adjoining rooms; also back parlor, with good board; home cooking.

MONROE ST., 1121—Wanted, child to board; no other children.

MORGAN ST., 2911—Beautiful second story front room with alcove; suitable for couple or two gentlemen; also other rooms; all conveniences; with or without board.

MORGAN ST., 3427—Lovely south front room; hot bath; summer rates; best board; reference.

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PINE ST., 2820—Two swell so. ex. rooms and board; nice for gents; fine location.

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WASHINGTON AV., 4115—Handsomely furnished front room for two, with board; excellent service.

WASHINGTON AV., 3141—Second story front room with board; suitable for two gentlemen.

WASHINGTON AV., 3323—Rooms and board; all conveniences; $5 week.

WASHINGTON AV., 3107—Rooms, with board; also day board.

WASHINGTON AV., 3115—Back parlor, large rooms; excellent board; modern, cool; $4 per week.

WEST BELLE PL., 4441—Two connecting rooms; southern exposure; breakfast if desired.

HOUSES, ROOMS, ETC., WANTED.

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FLAT WANTED—5-room flat, in West End, for young couple; rent not to exceed $26. Call or ad. Genelli, 923 Olive st.

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ROOMS WANTED—By couple, two connecting rooms; southern or northern exposure; near Suburban cars; west of Sarah. Ad. R 91, P.-D.

ROOMS WANTED—Would like to rent three rooms in Baden for $10 or $12. 1308 Chouteau av.

ROOMS WANTED—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping within 10 blocks of Jefferson and Lucas, by man and wife and little girl; ref. exchanged. Add. R 94, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM WANTED—One large, partly furnished room wanted by lady; must be reasonable; state price. Mrs. Low, 1723 N. 10th st.

ROOM WANTED—Young couple wants furnished room; respectable private family; all conveniences; reasonable rent; South Side. Ad. P 188, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS WANTED—By two adults, 3 unfurnished rooms, for light housekeeping; second floor; private family; best refs. given. Ad. N 199, P.-D.

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BOARD WANTED—By young couple, in a private family; location, between King's highway, Union, Kensington and Page; about $45 monthly. Ad. R 130, Post-Dispatch.

BOARD WANTED—Gentleman desires neat, cool, clean room, with breakfast; West End; state price and full particulars. Ad. R 87, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Room with full board by lady employed; between Vandeventer and Hamilton; $18 a month. Ad. P 66, P.-D.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Large unfurnished room with board; married couple with baby; in West End or suburbs; state terms. 3206A Olive.

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—Refined couple wishes 2d front, with first-class board, west of Grand av.; state terms and full particulars; no boarding houses or Jewish family. Add. R 147, Post-Dispatch.

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COMPANION WANTED—Lady alone in flat wishes lady roomer as companion. Add. R 67, P.-D.

ROOMMATE WANTED—A young man having nice cool room would like to have roommate; all conveniences; reasonable. 3667 Finney av.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Respectable young man as roommate for second-story front. Apply 2722 Pine st.; reasonable rent.

ROOMMATE WANTED—Would like congenial young man to share large front room, with board; private family. Call 3304 Morgan st.

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BOARD WANTED—By lady employed, room and breakfast, in quiet country home. Ad. R 103, Post-Dispatch.

FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

FAIRFAX AV., 3910—Two nice rooms, $8; for colored.

FURNISHED FLATS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

EVANS AV., 3976A—Nicely furnished flat; 3 rooms, bath; modern and complete; no children.

FLAT—Newly furnished West End 4-room flat; bath; complete; kitchen; suitable for 2 to 5 persons. For key apply 4219 West Belle pl.

FLAT—A pretty flat, west of Grand; nicely furnished; to parties without children; rent $45. Ad. R 90, Post-Dispatch.

FURNISHED FLATS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

FLAT WANTED—Handsomely furnished 2 or 3-room flat; with bath; for two gentlemen. Ad. R 129, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—Four-room furnished flat; South Side. Ad. R 146, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT WANTED—By a family of three adults, a neatly furnished flat of 4 or 5 rooms; West End. Answer quick. Add. R 120, Post-Dis.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

HOME WANTED—To rent or lease, suburban home; Webster or Kirkwood preferred. Ad. M 170, Post-Dispatch.

COUNTRY BOARD.

BOARDERS WANTED—Plenty of shade, fruit, ice, etc. Box 389, Hillsboro, Ill.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY—For Rent.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

HOUSE—Handsomely furnished house, with fine grounds, at Webster; to rent for summer to responsible party. Ad. R 122, Post-Dispatch.

HOUSE—At Glendale, on 2 railroads, 6-room house, with bath, 3 porches, shade and fruit, shrubs, garden, etc., to small family; rent $22.50. Wardlow & Co., 606 Chestnut st.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Will rent nicely furnished 7-room brick house in Cabanne, near Visitation Convent, for summer; gas range, screens and large yard; small family desired; it's a bargain; rent reasonable. Ad. R 167, Post-Dis.

DWELLINGS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

PINE ST., 3312—Six rooms; 50-foot lot; sanitary plumbing; new and complete.
M. R. COLLINS, JR., & CO.,
807 Chestnut st.

FLATS FOR RENT.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

EADS AV., 2805—Compton Heights, lower flat, 5 rooms; strictly modern; no children; call room 304, 708½ Pine st.

EVANS AV., 3728—Three large rooms, 1st floor, gas, bath and laundry (no children).

EWING AV., 804-10 N.—4 or 6-room flat with steam heat, fixtures and screens.

FRANKLIN AV., 521—Flat of 3 rooms, $9; all conveniences. Apply 523 Franklin av.

HENRIETTA ST., 3546—Elegant 6-room flat; modern; chandeliers, screens, elegant mantels, laundry.

LACLEDE AV., 4320A—Modern flat, 6 large rooms; furnace, screens, gas fixtures; elegant neighborhood. Inquire 4328 Laclede.

LINDELL BL., 3559—5 and 8-room flat; positively no children. H. Stone.

MORGAN ST., 4210A—Seven rooms; fixtures, furnace, screens. Fisher & Co., 714 Chestnut st.

RAUSCHENBACH AV., 1841—Four rooms, bath; laundry. Inquire 1839, downstairs.

TO LET FOR BUSINESS PURPOSES.

14 Words or Less, 10 Cents.

DESK ROOM—For rent, desk room; desirable office. Apply 1204 Union Trust bldg.

FOR RENT—Desk or office space. J. T. Craighead, 502 S. 7th st., opposite Cupples block; both phones.

GRAND AV., 1439 N.—Large store, suitable location for any business, with use of Kinloch tel. P. J. Cavanaugh, 1437 N. Grand av.

OLIVE ST., 4048—Part of store or shop; fine location for growing business.

PINE ST.—Cor. store and basement—$50; 4000 square feet; lighted 3 sides; elegant order. Warren, 200 N. 3d st.

WASHINGTON AV., 2648—Two-story brick barn; living rooms above.

WANTED FOR BUS. PURPOSES.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

FACTORY WANTED—About 5000 square feet; must be very light; any location. Ad. R 65, Post-Dispatch.

MEDICAL.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

STOMACH, kidney and bladder diseases cured quickly; strictures guaranteed cured; no cutting or pain. Sanitarium, s. w. cor. [illegible] and Locust.

LOST AND FOUND.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Lost.

BAG—Lost, black shopping bag, containing pair of gold spectacles and Broadway Cafe purse; also pair of gloves; reward. Broadway Cafe Co.

DOG—Lost, Saturday night, fox terrier dog; head evenly marked, tan-colored ears, large black spot on left side; name J. W. Brandon on collar. Large reward if returned to 2933 Thomas st.

DOG—Lost, medium sized English setter dog; white, black ticked; no hair on under part of body; ears sore; shakes his head frequently; reward. 4471 St. Louis av., or 2744 Cass av.

EYEGLASSES—Lost, May 3, pair rimless nose glasses, in Aloe's case. Reward at 213 N. 12.

EYEGLASSES—Lost, on Union av., between Ridge and Page, pair rimless glasses. Return to 5240 Ridge av.; liberal reward.

MARE—Strayed away Sunday, black mare, with white spot on forehead; scar on right shoulder; 14 hands high; reward. Call or notify J. Gibbon, 1382 Lucretia av., St. Louis, Mo.

PIN—Lost, High School pin, 1898. J. I. B., 2733 Russell.

PIN—Lost, small blue pin, on Olive st. car or on Broadway or Olive; reward if returned to Schurck at Compton and Olive.

PIN—Lost, silver heart pin; photograph in back; return to 5280 Washington and receive reward.

POCKETBOOK—Lost; on Jefferson av. cars or at Pestalozzi and Jefferson av. Return penny and key. R. Russell, 2854 Indiana av.

POCKETBOOK—Lost, Saturday, May 3, pocketbook containing check to order Edith C. Williams, and some change; keep change and return book and check to Missouri Safe Deposit Co.

RING—Lost, diamond ring, between Hotel Hedges and K. P. Hall, Madison, Ill.; liberal reward. Mark Howell, Hedges Hotel, Madison, Ill.

STOLEN—Corner 19th and Olive, fine whip and black and white blanket Monday evening. Reward if returned to Dr. Silverstone, corner 8th and Franklin. No questions asked.

UMBRELLA—Lost or picked up by mistake, a jointed bone handle, large silver piece on top, umbrella, in toilet, at race track, May 3; $5 reward; no questions asked if returned to J. Lyons, 2007 Chestnut st.

WALKING STICK—Lost, on car lines between Tower Grove Park and Bellefontaine Cemetery, small boy's walking stick, made of transparent horn; silver handle, with Chinese characters on sides and monogram J. G. H. on top. Finder please deliver to Hetzel Importing Co., Carleton bldg., 6th and Olive sts.

WATCH—Lost, ladies' gold watch on Bates st. between Michigan and Bates Street Pharmacy; monogram J. J.; inscription "Papa to Joseph, June the 3d, 1901." Return to 5520 Michigan av.; reward.

WATCH—Lost, red chatelaine watch; Loughborough av., between Grand and Michigan avs., or on Michigan av., between Loughborough and Nagle avs.; reward. 7116 Michigan av.

WATCH—Lost, silver watch, hunting case; initials B. C. Return to 4240A Kennerly av. and receive reward.

WILL lady who found purse and $4.05 at Epstein's Union Market please return to him?

STEAM CARPET CLEANING.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

AMERICAN Verdier Electric Carpet Beating and Renovating Co., 19th and Pine sts. Kinloch D 70.

EMPIRE Steam Carpet Cleaning Co.; carpets taken up, cleaned, made over and laid; lowest prices. 2123 Lucas av.; phones Main 1131, Kin. C 966.

ENTERPRISE STEAM CARPET CLEANING CO.—Special attention to altering, sewing and relaying. Easton and Pendleton; Lindell 374 M; Kinloch D 889.

GENERAL—Compressed Air House Cleaning Co., 3927-33 Olive st.; dustless method; carpets and everything thoroughly cleaned without removal; disinfecting; both phones.

OPTICIANS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ST. LOUIS OPTICAL CO.—Eye experts; gold spectacles, $2.50 up; complicated cases a specialty; finest equipped testing parlor. 705 Locust st.

TYPEWRITERS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

TYPEWRITERS—For sale, a new keyboard typewriter; $35. Apply room 408 Oriel bldg.

TYPEWRITERS—Call and see us before buying; if we can't save you money or suit you no harm done. The Typewriter Exchange, 208 N. 9th st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Furniture.

FOLDING BED—For sale, upright folding bed. 1806A N. Sarah st.

FURNITURE—For sale, furniture 5-room modern flat; everything complete; no dealers. 3017 Laclede, upstairs.

FURNITURE—We wish to sell most of our furniture; price $300 cash; all in excellent condition; flat for rent; $20 per month; call this evening after 5 o'clock. 4415 Evans av.

FURNITURE—For sale, gas range, folding bed, gas fixtures, furniture; must sell; leaving city. 2900 Easton av.

FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom suite of three pieces. 2619A North Market st.

FURNITURE—For sale, two fine bedroom suites; one bookcase. 4622 Olive st.

FURNITURE—For sale, one parlor set, practically new; also one rug. Ad. R 51, Post-Dis.

FURNITURE—For sale, bedroom set, $3; wardrobe, $2; folding bed, $4; sideboard, $4; dresser, tables. 1704 S. 11th st.

FURNITURE BARGAINS.

Go-carts, baby carriages, $2 up; refrigerators, latest, sanitary, $3.50; iron beds, folding beds, wardrobes, sideboards, extension tables, chiffoniers, couches, at lowest prices; cash or time. FRANKLIN FURNITURE HOUSE, 723 Franklin.

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

Bedroom suits, worth $20, for $13.50; portable wardrobes, worth $16, for $9.50; sideboards, worth $20 and $25, for $12.50 and $15; heavy oak 6-foot extension tables, worth $6, for $3.50; zinc-lined and charcoal-filled refrigerators, best make in the market, worth $9, for $5.75; go-carts, worth $11, for $7. We have also big line of chiffoniers, iron beds, at prices that cannot be beat. We carry a full line of Quick Meal gas and gasoline stoves and ranges. This chance should not be missed.
FIHN'S,
717 and 719 Franklin av.

Carpets, Rugs, Etc.

CARPETS, ETC.—For sale, big lot of misfit carpets. Brussels, velvets, 3-ply ingrain, $2 up; 50 bedroom sets, sideboards, wardrobes, folding beds. Iron and brass beds left on storage; must be sold at once at your own price. 1017 Franklin.

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

Look at these prices—9x12 ingrain rugs $4, worth $9; 9x12 brussel rugs, $10.25, worth $18; 9x12 velvet brussel rugs $18, worth $28; body brussel rugs, 9x12, $16, worth $25; linoleums, 50c and 55c per yard, worth 75c and 85c per yard. Call and inspect these goods if you buy or not. It will pay you. We positively guarantee these to be strictly new, fresh goods.
FIHN'S,
717 and 719 Franklin av.

Stoves, Ranges, Etc.

STOVE—For sale, gas stove; good condition; cheap. 3652 Cleveland av.

Sewing Machines.

SEWING MACHINES sold, rented and repaired; parts for all machines at lowest price. J. W. McClure, 612 Franklin. Kinloch B 675.

SEWING MACHINES—Bargains in sewing machines; Singers, $2 and up; Wheeler & Wilsons, $3.50 up; Domestics, $3.50 and up; Whites, $3 and up; New Homes, $3.50 and up; we sell all makes of machines at factory prices; new dropheads, $12 up; all guaranteed; machines rented; repairing promptly attended to; needles and parts for all machines at half price. New York Sewing Machine Co., 1210 Franklin av.; phone D972.

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Miscellaneous.

CHANDELIERS Closing out below cost, our immense stock at retail. Belle Hickey Mfg. Co., 901-903 Lucas av.

FOR SALE—Home Comfort range, tent, with side walls, sample trunk, counter and carpet; call Wednesday or Thursday. 2115 Market st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, parlor suite, range, folding bed, etc.; leaving city this week. 4642 Easton av.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—Majestic gas range, Home Comfort range, handsome sideboard, Windsor folding bed, large icebox. H. Brockman, 2219 Franklin av.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—For sale, folding bed, stoves, tables, cupboard, bureau, chairs, wardrobe. Call 1713 S. 3d st.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ALL kinds fur., feathers, carpets, stoves, hair mattresses. Lasky, 1213 Morgan. Phone C 36.

ALL kinds fur., feathers, carpets, stoves, hair mattresses. Lasky, 1213 Morgan. Phone C 636.

ALL kinds of furniture, carpets, stoves; highest price; send postal. Bensinger, 2029 Franklin av.

ALL KINDS of household goods and feathers wanted; send postal. Bensinger, 756 Walton av., 1704 Franklin av.

ALL KINDS furniture, pianos, carpets, contents of houses, flats, stores bought; highest price paid. Wolff, 2645 Park av.; phone C 465; Main 1580M.

BEFORE moving sell furniture and feathers don't want; send postal. Ashton, 1111 S. Jefferson av.

FEATHER BEDS WANTED—Feather beds, $5 to $15 each; postal card. Gay, 3021 S. Broadway.

FEATHERS WANTED—Will buy by weight or lump; will pay 40c per lb.; send postal. G. Frank, 1017 Selby pl.

FEATHERS WANTED—Old feathers; will pay 50c per pound; send postal. S. Batavia, 116 N. 9th.

FEATHERS, ETC., WANTED—Any amount fur. carpets and feathers; highest price paid. Klein 721 Franklin av.; phone B 622.

FEATHERS WANTED—Full value paid; honest weight. M. Speelman, 2628 Olive; send postal.

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HOUSEHOLD GOODS—I buy furniture, stoves, carpets, carloads; small lots. Rice, 2217 Wash.

RANGE WANTED—Nice gas range or stove; A1 order; name make and price. Ad. R 45, P.-D.

RANGE WANTED—Double Home Comfort range for dairy lunchroom. Call at 2115 Market st.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BAKERS—Before commencing business write for prices on oven to the Middleby Oven Mfg. Co., 60 W. Van Buren st., Chicago.

BUSINESS CHANCE—For sale, contents and good will of a nice 21-room hotel, well patronized; selling on account of old age; investigate. Mrs. M. Gibbons, Poplar Bluff, Mo.

BUSINESS WANTED.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BUSINESS WANTED—Have $150 to invest in business; what have you? Give particulars. Ad. N 52, Post-Dispatch.

BUSINESS WANTED—Business man wants to invest $500 to $1000 in good business or will go as partner. Ad. R 165, Post-Dispatch.

CIGAR STORE WANTED—Cheap, well-paying cigar store; state locality, condition, etc.; cash. Ad. R 33, Post-Dispatch.

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PAINTER—Sit. wanted by first-class painter; job work. Call or ad. 2821 Olive st.

SALESMAN—Salesman wants a good line of goods to sell in the city or travel on commission. If you need a man who knows his business let me hear from you. Add. R 95, Post-Dispatch.

WOOD TURNING of all descriptions done promptly; patterns a specialty. E. Granberg, 16th and Market sts.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BARBER SHOP—3-chair barber shop; combination fixtures; first-class trade; centrally located; price $275.
UNION BROKERAGE CO.,
411 Olive st., room 210.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, 9-room boarding house outfit; must be sold in 5 days; $25. 1502 Benton st.

BOARDING HOUSE—Washington, near Theresa; 12 elegantly appointed rooms; full permanent high-priced guests; 5 rooms earn $325 month now; sell way below cost; very easy terms; fine.
GLASCOCK BROKERAGE CO.,
902 Chestnut st.

BOARDING HOUSE—For sale, 10-room boarding house; full of good paying roomers. 2917 Lawton av.

BOARDING HOUSE—Full of first-class boarders; 12 elegantly furnished rooms; 3 bathrooms; sanitary plumbing; swell neighborhood; clearing above expenses, $150 per month; rent, $45. 411 Olive st., room 210.

BUSINESS—Wanted, man with capital to buy exclusive liquor privilege in a park; also all kinds of privileges for sale; bowling alley, lunch counter, shooting gallery, cigars, souvenirs, etc. 410 Granite bldg., 4th and Market.

CIGAR STAND—In fine downtown office building; must sell; best reasons; price $150; good stand for somebody; lease 1906; be quick.
GLASCOCK BROKERAGE CO.,
902 Chestnut st.

CONFECTIONERY, cigars, tobaccos, laundry, neighborhood supplies; just the place for couple or lady; $175 down, small balance, easy; pleasant rooms; fine.
GLASCOCK BROKERAGE CO.,
902 Chestnut st.

GROCERY—For sale, grocery business in good town of 5000 in southern Illinois; fine location; clean stock of about $3000; owner retiring from business. Ad. D 198, Post-Dispatch.

GROCERY, ETC.—For sale, grocery and saloon; good paying business; large rooming house; cash trade; sales $60 per day; very cheap. Ad. Z., R 52, Post-Dispatch.

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GROCERY—For sale, old established grocery, good location, complete stock of new goods; will invoice; good chance; owner leaving city. Joseph Boehm, Mexico, Mo.

GROCERY AND MEAT MARKET—For sale, grocery and meat market, near World's Fair grounds; good business; must sell at once; cheap for cash; no agents. Call 6151A Suburban av.

HORSESHOEING SHOP—For sale, horseshoeing shop, with established trade; cheap. Inquire 525 S. Jefferson av.

MANUFACTURING BUSINESS—Party with $1500 for half interest in extensive cosmetic business; best goods; finest trade; established 16 years; immense profits.
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902 Chestnut st.

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PLANT—For sale; $4500; easily managed; lots of business; cleared $2500 last year; do better this year. Ad. P 47, Post-Dispatch.

PRESS, ETC.—For sale, newspaper press, type, paper cutter, job presses, stone; dirt cheap. Ad. P 129, Post-Dispatch.

PRINTING PLANT—For sale at a bargain, a newly equipped job printing plant and bus ness; growing city of 65,000. Ad. Briggs Bros., 1004½ Preston av., Houston, Tex.

REGENT $3.50 Shoe Store, formerly at 812 Olive, moved to Wolff's Shoe Dept., 105-7 N. Broadway.

RESTAURANT—Busy thoroughfare; intersection 5 streets; unusually fine outfit; feeds 200 daily; big prices; $200 down, balance easy; sacrifice; see quick.
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902 Chestnut st.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant; bargain; rent $15; investigate. 2737 Franklin av.

RESTAURANT—For sale, restaurant; everything new; good trade. Ad. R 149, Post-Dispatch.

RESTAURANT—$75 cash, balance your own terms; elegant equipment; cost three times price asked; choicest location in city; near Union Station, near hotels, near rooming houses. 1803 Chestnut.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, rooming house on Washington, near Compton; 11 rooms; full; cheap. Ad. R 44, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMING HOUSE—Prominent thoroughfare, near Garrison; $30 rent; full goodpaying people; only $275; $100 down; better hurry; not many others equal.
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902 Chestnut st.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, elegantly furnished visitors' rooming house, 4 blocks from Union Station; will take small payment. M. Mungovin, 4110 Page bl.

ROOMING HOUSE—For sale, elegantly furnished rooming house; 12 rooms; all rented; at your own price. 2732 Olive st.

SALOON—$125; fine corner; owner leaving city.
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902 Chestnut st.

SALOON—For sale, $100 for half interest and take charge of same. Add. R 93, Post-Dispatch.

SALOON—On Broadway; 25 years established; only $42 rent, including 5 rooms; $650.
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902 Chestnut st.

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DIVORCES obtained promptly, quietly; moderate charges; collections made; damage cases handled; advice free. Central Law Bureau, 112 N. 8th st.

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MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

ADDRESS WANTED—Address of local mail order company. Ad. R 132, Post-Dispatch.

CASH for uncanceled postal cards, postage stamps, coins; Premium Coin List, 10c; price lists free. St. Louis Stamp and Coin Co., 1008 Pine st.

HIGHEST price for good old gents' clothing paid; please send postal. Weissner, 1601 Washington.

LADIES' and gentlemen's straw hats cleaned while you wait, 15c. Home Shining Parlor, 219 N. 9th st.

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WILKENSON pays cash for gold, silver and diamonds. 2218 Franklin av.

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Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating; repairing, oxidizing and lacquering at reasonable rates. DEGEE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

BABY CARRIAGE—For sale, baby carriage; good condition. 2021 Park av.

ELEGANT Bruswick pool and billiard tables; sell, rent; reasonable. J. L. Fowler, 1321 Market.

ENSIGN water colors are best for all photo papers; ask dealers, or 416 Mermod & Jaccard bldg.

FIXTURES—Bookkeepers' standing desks; office partition and railing; counters, show cases, wall cases, sheving, grocers' bins, ice boxes, money drawers, stools, butcher blocks. New work to order; largest stock in the west at lowest prices. American Fixture Works, 808-809 N. Levee. Kinloch D 1554.

FREE—Large-size pictures with communion photos. WHEN STUDIO, 1631 Franklin av.

GAS FIXTURES—Three beautiful gas fixtures and kitchen light, $16. 3009 Pine st.

GRAPHOPHONE—For sale, Columbia disk graphophone, 36 records; cost $35; will sell for $18.50. 912 N. 20th st.

ICE BOXES, ETC.—For sale, second-hand ice boxes, scales and trucks; all repaired and warranted. 404 N. 3d st.

ICE BOXES—For sale, 50 milk and butter ice boxes, icecream cabinets. 1021 N. Broadway, Orchard Bros.

NEW and second-hand billiard and pool tables; cloth and balls. A. E. Schmidt, 326 Market st.

PAINTER'S LADDER, ETC.—For sale, painter's extension ladder and staging, at once. Call 1436 N. Garrison av.

PAINTS—For sale, strictly pure oil, 61c; turpentine, 45c; lead, 4c to 6c; get prices. Nieman Bros., 1911 Park av. Kinloch D 1294; Sidney 428 M.

PRINTERS—We will sell one 3x6 imposing stone and frame; one sort or cut cabinet with 70 drawers; one type stand; two or three galley cabinets, etc. Can be seen on 4th floor Post-Dis.

STOVE repairs for any old stove. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th st.; Kinloch C 97.

TENTS—For sale, tents and taurpaulins. St. Louis Belting and Supply Co., 509 S. 4th st.

50c BUYS $2 worth of fine bass and trout flies; with the above we will give free a $2 fine leather fly book; big lot of Natchang silk lines, 20c, worth 75c; all kinds and sizes of gut hooks 5c per dozen, worth 30c; big job lot of reels, minnow buckets, poles and dipnets; very cheap; don't miss this sale. Standard Tool Co., 823 N. 6th st., next to Hilts'.

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

Wanted.

BUGGY, ETC., WANTED—Good storm buggy, horse and harness. 2205 N. Broadway.

PASTURAGE—Fine pasturage, $4 month. Kinloch D1369, Dr. Heyve, V. S., or B1105.

For Sale.

BRUSH up the old rig; a can of Occidental Carriage Paint will make it look like new. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., 620 Franklin av.

FURNITURE, grocer, express and milk wagons, all kinds of business wagons, new and second-hand. Young & Co., 1423-25 N. Broadway.

HARNESS—For sale, good set double breast harness; call at once. 3422 Morgan st.

HORSE—For sale, one horse; will sell cheap. 3867 Fairview av.

HORSE—For sale, fine black buggy horse, good, steady driver; gentle and sound; under guarantee; price $150. 1648 S. Jefferson av.

HORSE—For sale, good horse; for buggy or delivery wagon. 1722 Dolman st.

HORSES—For sale, 3 delivery and driving horses; also team well broke ponies. 2729 St. Louis av.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 3 beautiful trap horses, lady broke; big mule, farm mare, drummer's buggy. 2730 Morgan st.

HORSE AND MULE—For sale, 8-year-old black heavy draft horse, $100; one mule, $75. 1100 S. 12th st.

HORSES—For sale, good-size horse, sound; also good buggy horse; gentle, for lady to drive; bargain; call at stable, 2732 Pine st.

HORSE—For sale, fine horse, 16 hands high, 6 years old, works single or double. 3407 Lafayette av.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 2 good work horses, 1 buggy horse, double harness; cheap. 4058 Cote Brilliante.

HORSES—For sale, 4 delivery horses, $25, $35 and $40. 2808 S. 7th st.

MULE WANTED—For exchange, 1 good 1100-pound horse, 8 years old, for mule. Call 6420 Suburban av.

PONY—For sale, pony kind and gentle, 2 years old and sound; any boy can ride. Heman Construction Co.

STORM BUGGIES, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler, carpenter, painter, undertaker and light advertising wagons; also light truck spring stake wagon. John Tobinka, 1406 N. 7th.

TEAM, ETC.—For sale, team of mares, macadam wagon and harness; will sell cheap; leaving city. 1414 St. Ange av.

VEHICLES—For sale, the finest line of ball-bearing cushion-tire vehicles on the market; see our line of harness. Deeds & Manley, 200 and 202 S. 8th st., bet. Walnut and Clark av.

VEHICLES—For sale, 1 runabout, 1 top buggy. 4964 Delmar bl.

WAGON, ETC.—For sale, very strong one-horse coal and express wagon and harness; at a bargain; come at once; leaving city. 2414 S. Broadway.

WAGON—For sale, 3-spring open wagon; first-class order. 1305 Chestnut st.

SPRING OPENING SALE OF VEHICLES.

Fine one-horse cut-under surreys, traps, stanhopes and storm buggies, driving wagons, runabouts, covert wagons, park wagons and delivery wagons.
DEEDS & MANLEY,
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FOR SALE AT A GREAT BARGAIN

New storm buggies from $100 upward; new runabouts from $40 upward; new surreys from $100 upward, and all kinds of second-hand vehicles at any old price, at John Decker's, 2002-4-6 Morgan st., the only agent in St. Louis for the GENUINE Columbus Buggy Co.'s vehicles, of Columbus, O.

MACHINERY.

14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

For Sale.

MOTOR—For sale, ½-horsepower motor, in excellent condition. Add. R 142, Post-Dispatch.

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14 Words or Less, 20 Cents.

DR. HARTMANN, dentist, examination free; silver fillings, 50c; gold fillings, $1; gold crowns, $4; plates (best teeth), $4 to $7; first-class work guaranteed; easy payments to working people; call daily or Sun., n. w. cor. 11th and Franklin.

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EQUITABLE OIL STOCK at 6c per share. Texas Investment Co., 110 Laclede bldg.

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May dividend, 2½ per cent.
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Annual dividend rate, 33 per cent.
First gusher last August.
Third well almost complete.
3800 acres in lands and leases.
Write for particulars. 308 Rialto bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

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NO DREAM—We've got it, the largest and most complete stock of unredeemed pledges in the city, consisting of Diamonds, Gents' and Ladies' Watches, Jewelry and Rings of all descriptions. Our stock was never larger and prices so low as at the present time. We have made reductions in our gents' and ladies' watches that amounts to many dollars, because we are determined to sell them. This is an opportunity to procure a fine Waltham, Hampden, Elgin, Springfield or any other movement for about the cost of manufacture. We also have the largest stock of new and second-hand clothing in the city. We are selling first-class wearing apparel at prices unheard of. Style, quality and fit are up to date.

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We will give you ALL THE TIME you want and will carry your LOAN as long as desired.

We pay all your bills and advance you more money. It is easier to pay one than a number.

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Remember, in dealing with us there are no advance charges whatever.

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BEYER & SON, 17th and Locust sts.

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PIANO—For sale; Steinway upright; big bargain; 7 octave; a fine bargain for one wishing a high-grade piano at moderate figures.
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5179 Kensington, 9 rooms	$55 00
3509 Bailey, 6 rooms	20 00
4045 Olive, 10 rooms	75 00
3301 Lucas, 10 rooms	55 00
3959 Folsom, 22 rooms; boarding house	100 00
5129 Washington, 12 rooms, furnished	150 00
STEAM HEATED APARTMENTS.	
4315-17-19 Lindell av.—	
7 rooms, 1st floor	75 00
7 rooms, 2d floor	80 00
8 rooms, 2d floor	85 00
7 rooms, 3d floor	65 00
8 rooms, 3d floor	70 00
5168 McPherson, 7 rooms	75 00
4300-10 Maryland, 6 and 8 rooms, $52.50 and	65 00
325-39 N. Boyle, 6 and 8 rooms, $52.50 and	65 00
FLATS.	
812A N. King's highway, 6 rooms	35 00
5049A Delmar, 6 rooms	32 50
1305 S. Broadway, 5 rooms	12 00
5242A Delmar, 7 rooms janitor service	38 50
STORES, ETC.	
Northwest corner Broadway and Hickory st.; first floor for lease, or will divide to suit tenant	300 00
2623 Olive st	40 00
318 N. Sixth st	......
2214 Olive st	35 00
1620 Chestnut st	16 00

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TUXEDO PARK

TODAY.

Lots $50 each and upwards.

Salesmen on the ground TODAY.

HOUSE—For sale; Forest av., 2029; pleasant home; seven rooms; large lot; or will sell part of lot, 96x155 feet; owner leaving city; take Suburban cars south on Sarah st.

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FOR RENT

DWELLINGS

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4067 Delmar av., 7 rooms	45 00
3402 Washington av., 10 rooms	50 00
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5514 Vernon av., 7 rooms	35 00
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In a beautiful home? I have got what you want; a seven-room cottage; bathroom, reception hall and all conveniences, with a lot 150x200 feet, that can be bought for $3750; a beautiful place; west of Tower Grove Park. If you like trees, plants and flowers, this place will suit. Call at the office for particulars.

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OVERLAND PARK

Auction sale of last Saturday we will sell at private sale, and SALESMEN will be on the grounds

ALL THIS WEEK.

Take Olive St. or Delmar Av. car, transfer to Midland Branch, get off at Woodson Road.

TERMS: $20 Cash, Balance $10 Per Month.

See Our Low Prices.

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FOURTH AND PINE STS.

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Union Stock Yards.

HOGS—Market opened 5c lower and closed fairly active at the decline. Receipts fair.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
49	219	$7 15	35	211	$7 20
82	206	7 10	93	196	7 10
84	189	7 05	98	181	7 00
82	198	6 90	33	196	6 90
82	181	6 90	39	153	6 50
49	175	6 70	47	112	5 65

SALES.

	Av.	Price.
CATTLE—Market draggy and lower.		
3 sausage cows	806	$2 75
5 sausage cows	920	2 00
3 native cows	1190	4 50
6 native heifers	969	6 00
4 s. e. cows and calves, each	...	38 00
3 s. e. cows and calves, each	...	30 00
6 native cows	930	4 00
4 calves	130	6 00
3 dairy cows	1030	4 00
6 thin cows	890	3 00
3 s. e. cows and calves, each	...	34 00
17 I. M. cows and 3 calves, each	...	27 00
4 dairy cows	1000	4 00
7 dairy cows	988	4 40
2 dairy cows	925	3 00
5 Herriticks	330	3 75
6 heifers	670	5 00
2 calves	135	5 50
3 calves	100	5 50
9 bulls	1240	3 75
2 sausage cows	895	2 25
5 sausage cows	630	1 75
20 heifers and steers	641	3 65

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3500; steady; good to prime steers, $6.75@7.20; poor to medium, $4.50@6.30; stockers and feeders, $2.50@5.25; cows, $1.40@5.50; heifers, $2@[illegible]; canners, $1.40@2.40; bulls, $2.25@5.75; calves, $[illegible]@6; Texas fed steers, $5.25@6.25; western steers, $4.80@5.75. Hogs—Receipts today, 18,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 3111; 5c lower; mixed and butchers', $6.80@7.20; good to choice heavy, $7.10@7.25; rough heavy, $6.90@7.05; light, $6.[illegible]@6.[illegible]; bulk of sales, $6.90@7.10. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000; sheep steady; lambs 10@15c lower; good to choice wethers, $5.50@6.15; fair to choice mixed, $4.75@5.50; western sheep, $5.25@6.15; native lambs, $4.75@6.55; western lambs, $5.25@6.55. Official yesterday: Receipts—Cattle, 10,228; hogs, 29,964; sheep, 19,557. Shipments—Cattle, 2272; hogs, 5714; sheep, 2336.

SOUTH OMAHA, May 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 24,-000; market active, steady to strong. Native steers, $4.80@6.80; cows and heifers, $3.95@5.75; western steers, $4.60@5.70; Texas steers, $4.30@5.30; canners, $1.75@3; stockers and feeders, $2.75@5; calves, $2.50@5.50; bulls, stags, etc., $2.75@5.25. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market slow, 5c lower; heavy, $6.95@7.15; mixed, $6.90@6.95; light, $6.70@7; pigs, $5.50@6.50; bulk of sales, $6.90@7.05. Sheep—Receipts, 4400; market steady. Fed muttons, $5.50@6.10; westerns, $4.50@5.25; ewes, $4@5.50; common and stockers, $3@5; lambs, $5.75@7.

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SOUTH ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 650; market on dressed beef steers active at strong to 10c higher prices. Stockers and feeders, 10c higher. Export and dressed beef steers, $6@6.65; fair to good, $5.50@6.35; stockers and feeders, $3.50@5; western fed steers, $4.50@5.50; cows, $2.75@5; native cows, $3@5.50; heifers, $3.50@5.75; canners, $1.75@2.75; bulls, $3.50@4.50; calves, $4@5.75. Hogs—Receipts, 5500; market 5@10c lower; quality good to $6.75; bulk of sales, $7@7.20; heavy, $7@7.25; packers, $6.90@7.15; lights, $6.75@6.90. The pig market was 10@15c lower on the quotable prices, $5.25@5.75. Sheep—Receipts, 3000; market active and steady; western lambs, $6.75@6.85; western wethers, clipped, $5.75; western yearlings, $6.25.

KANSAS CITY, May 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000, including 1000 Texans; slow, steady to shade lower. Native steers, $4.75@7; Texan and Indian steers, $3@6; Texas cows, $2.50@5.05; native cows and heifers, $2.70@6.55; stockers and feeders, $2.55@5.55; bulls, $3@5.15; calves, $3.75@5.80. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; market slow, 5@10c lower. Bulk of sales, $6.95@7.20; heavy, $7.10@7.25; packers, $6.95@7.20; medium, $6.90@7.17½; light, $6.55@7.05; yorkers, $6.[illegible]@6.90. Sheep—Receipts, 4000; market steady, 10c lower. Muttons, $4.35@6.15; lambs, $5.35@7.05; western wethers, $4.65@6.25; ewes, $4.90@5.85.

GRAIN MARKETS DISPLAY STRENGTH

EXCESSIVE RAINS IN NORTHWEST HAD A BULLISH EFFECT.

STRONG EXPORT DEMAND

Heavy Decrease in the World's Available Wheat Supply—Corn Higher on Improved Cash Demand.

Continued wet weather in the spring wheat states, firms Liverpool cables and big decrease in the world's available grain supply sent the grain markets up Tuesday. Wheat advanced steadily from the opening, and corn was strong all day. Speculative offerings were light.

According to Bradstreet's report the available supply of wheat east of the Rocky Mountains decreased 4,574,000 bu. The amount in Europe and afloat fell off 2,400,000 bu., making the total world's available decrease 6,974,000 bu. The world's corn supply decreased 994,000 bu. and the oats supply fell off 588,000 bu.

The weather map showed rain everywhere in the winter wheat states. Every point in Kansas got rain. The unfavorable feature was heavy rains in the Northwest—Minesota, South Dakota and North Dakota. Minneapolis wired that the situation is becoming serious. So much rain has fallen that the wheat acreage will be greatly reduced.

There was a good cash and export demand for wheat. Chicago reported the sale of 175,000 bu, of which 75,000 bu graded No. 1 northern spring and was sold to Liverpool houses at 12c over May prices. Duluth reported cash sales amounting to almost 500,000 bu. St. Louis elevators sold 32,000 bu of No. 2 hard for export. Twelve loads were taken at New York for export.

Country offerings of corn were rather light and there was a good cash demand. The West was a liberal buyer of oats, three Kansas houses taking 165,000 bu in Chicago.

July wheat opened at 73@73⅛c, sold up to 73⅝@73¾c and closed with a gain of ⅝c at 73½@73⅝c. Corn futures were very strong. July opened at 61⅛c and on a strong demand closed with a gain of 1½c at 61⅞@62c asked.

Owing to the American weakness Monday wheat opened ¼d to ¾d off at Liverpool. Later in the session the offerings were light and the weather being unfavorable, gains of ⅛d to ¾d were made. Corn opened ¼d off, but rallied ¾d to ½d on the extreme scarcity of spot contract. Wheat closed with a gain of ⅛d and corn ¼d higher. Paris was off ¼c to ½c and Antwerp unchanged. London closed with wheat unchanged to ¼d up, while corn was ⅜d lower. Berlin was unchanged and Budapest off ⅜c.

Wheat stocks are running low. Receipts at Minneapolis and Duluth were 84 cars, compared with 111 a year ago. St. Louis received 88,452 bushels. Clearances were 526,000 bushels.

Receipts of wheat at primary points were 267,276 bushels, as compared with 364,000 bushels same date last year. Shipments, 427,533 bushels, compared with 314,000 bushels same date last year.

July corn opened ⅛@⅜c up at 61¼c, sold up to 61⅝c, and reacted to 61⅜c. September opened at 59⅝, dropped to 59⅜c, rallied to 60⅛c and closed with a gain of 1⅛c at 60c bid. The speculative demand for corn was very good. July advanced from 61⅝c to 61⅞@62c, which was asked at the closed, a gain of 1½c. May opened at 60⅝c, sold at 60½c and closed with a gain of ⅞c at 61⅛c bid.

St. Louis received 81,000 bushels of corn, compared with 156,800 a year ago. Clearances were 9000 bu. Receipts of corn at primary points were 436,550 bu, as compared with 597,000 bu same date last year. Shipments, 63,185 bu, compared with 532,000 bu same date last year.

July wheat opened ⅛c up at 73—73⅛c, and during the first hour hold up to 73⅝c. The market receded ⅛c and then delayed spring wheat seeding and export buying caused a rally, which carried July up to 73⅝@73¾c. There was a slight decline and the option closed with a gain of ⅝c, at 73½@73⅝c. May wheat opened at 77c, sold up to 77¼c and closed with a gain of c, at 77¼c asked. Sept. opened at 74c and during the day lost and gained ⅛c.

Receipts of oats at primary points were 530,030 bu, as compared with 460,000 bu same date last year. Shipments, 275,198 bu, compared with 386,000 bu same date last year. Speculation in oats was light. July sold at 33c, which was bid at the close, unchanged from Monday.

The tone of the stock market in the opening dealings made apparent a feeling of relief showed by advancing prices on a demand for stocks well distributed through all departments of the list. Rutland preferred was weak on small dealings, declining 4 points, rallying 3½ and receding a gain of 2½.

At the offices of Offenbach & Moore the doors were not opened this morning at 10 o'clock but some of the employes appeared a few minutes later and reported that the question of a formal assignment by the firm was being considered by legal counsel and that nothing would be done until advice was had. A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed in the United States district court today against Offenbach & Moore.

Stocks maintained a strong tone, but the active leaders did not advance much beyond their earlier best prices aside from Reading and Louisville, which touched 65 and 142, respectively, and Chicago, Indianapolis & Louisville, which rose 4. Less prominent stocks were buoyant.

Rye and Barley.

Rye—Receipts at St. Louis, none; shipments, 4455 bu; market steady; No. 2 worth 59c.

Barley—Receipts, none; shipments, 2080 bu; market nominally 60@80c.

Lead and Spelter.

Lead—Receipts, 7680 pigs; shipments, 3540. Spelter—Receipts, 16,545 slabs; shipments, 8585 slabs. Lead market steady; soft Missouri, $3.97½@4, and chemical hard at $4; $4.05 for desilverized. Spelter—Market dull at $4.12½.

Stocks of Grain in St. Louis Elevators.

	Today.	Yes'day.	Year ago
Wheat	299,377	320,801	894,620
Corn	105,639	101,818	326,637
Oats	92,034	88,330	11,698
Rye	58,616	59,150	1,092
Barley	5,047	5,047	
No. 2 red wheat	140,517	164,102	763,034
No. 2 hard	146,730	145,552	43,521
No. 2 mixed corn	79,010	79,711	284,328
No. 2 white	6,621	5,089	11,988
No. 2 mixed oats	41,827	41,827	4,821
No. 2 white	2,463	2,463	
No. 2 rye	57,143	58,677	297
No. 2 yellow corn	12,791	9,802	

Western Movements of Grain.

	Wheat.		Corn.	
	Rec.	Ship.	Rec.	Ship.
St. Louis	88,452	25,605	81,000	58,865
Chicago	47,400	79,244	210,550	134,510
Toledo	14,100	3,567	1,700	5,800
Detroit	1,000	3,767	1,000	
Kan. City	24,800	24,800	115,200	60,000
Milwaukee	22,400	800	2,800	3,800
Minneapolis	53,120	243,000	8,000	720
Duluth	16,104	46,750		

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	77 n	77¼	77	77¼a
July	72⅞@72¾b	73⅜@73¾	73	73½@73⅝
Sept		74	73¾	74
CORN.				
May	60¾	60½	60⅜	61⅛b
July	60⅜@60⅝b	61⅜@62	61⅛	61⅞@62 a
Sept	58⅞	60¼	59⅝	60 b
OATS.				
May	41⅝a			41⅝n
July	33 a	33	33	33 b
Sept	28¼a			28¼b

CHICAGO.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	73⅝	74⅛@74½n	73⅝	74⅝
July	74⅛@75	75⅛@75¼	75	75⅛@75¼
Sept	74⅛n	74⅞	74⅛	74⅞
CORN.				
May	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sept	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
OATS.				
May	41⅛	41¼	41	41¼
July	34 @34¼	34¼@34⅝	34¼	34⅝
Sept	29 @29¼	29¼@29⅜	29	29¼@29⅜

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
PORK.				
May	$16.95 n	......	......	$16.85 a
July	17.10 a	17.05	16.95	16.95
Sept	15.15 n	17.10	17.00	16.97
RIBS.				
May	9.50@52	......	......	9.47 a
July	9.52@55 a	9.55	9.47@50	9.50
Sept	9.60 a	9.57@60	9.52@55	9.55
LARD.				
May	10.15 a			10.07 a
July	10.17	10.17	10.07@10	10.07@10
Sept	10.27	10.25	10.15	10.15

NEW YORK.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	80⅝	81⅛@81½	80⅝	81⅛b
July	80⅝b	81⅛	80⅜@80⅝	81⅛
Sept	79⅜	79⅝	79⅛	79⅝b
CORN.				
May	66	66⅝	66⅛	66⅝b
July	66⅜	66⅝	66	66⅝b
Sept	64⅞b	65⅛	64⅛	65⅛b

MINNEAPOLIS.

	Closing Yesterday.	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Closing Today.
WHEAT.				
May	74⅛	75⅝	74⅝	75⅝
July	74⅞@75	75⅛	75⅛	75⅞@75⅛
Sept	72¼	72⅝	72⅝	72⅞

HAY, FLOUR AND PROVISIONS.

HAY AND FEED.

Hay—Receipts, 815 tons local and 110 tons through; shipments, 270 tons. Market steady. Very fair demand; offerings moderate.

Timothy, east side, $15@15.50 for choice, $14@14.50 for No. 1; $12.50@13 for No. 2; clover, mixed, $9@13.50; clover, No. 1, $12@12.50; No. 2, $10@11.50; prairie, $13.50@14 for choice and No. 1; alfalfa, $13@14.

BRAN—At mill, 93c in large and 95c in small sacks.

SHIPSTUFFS—Steady at $1.

STRAW—Wheat, $4@4.50; rye, $5@5.50.

FLOUR.

Patents, per barrel	$3 80@3 90
Straights	3 55@3 65
Extra fancy	3 40@3 55
Clears	2 90@3 00
Low and medium grades	2 65@2 90
Pearl meal, grits and hominy	3 45
Cornmeal	3 15
Rye flour	3 15@3 40
Spring wheat patents, in jute	3 75@3 90
Hard wheat flour—	
Patents in jute	3 25@3 35
Straights	3 00@3 10
Clears	2 70@2 85

PROVISIONS.

Quotations given here are for lots in a jobbing way on the exchange. On orders, much higher.

PORK—Market steady; new standard, $17.55 per bbl and $17.05 for old.

LARD—In a jobbing way, choice steam lower at $9.95.

GREEN HAMS—10-lb average, 11¾c; 12, 14 and 16 average at 11½@11¾c; 18s and 20s at 11½c. Skinned hams, 16s to 18@20 average, at 12¼@12¾c; 22@24 average at 12@12¼c. California hams, 8⅝c; New York shoulders, 8¾c.

DRY SALT MEATS—Extra short, 9⅝c; clear ribs, 9⅝c; short clear, 9⅞c; bellies, 10@10½c; plates, 9⅛c; fat backs, 9⅛c; standard backs, 9⅝c.

BACON—Boxed s. c. meats: Breakfast bacon, 11½@14c; fancy small hams, 12¼@13c; Californias and New York shoulders, 9c. Plain smoked boxed lots: Extra shorts, 10⅜c; clear ribs, 10⅜c; short clear, 10⅝c; bellies, 10¾@11½c; plates, 9⅝c; fat backs, 9⅝c; standard backs, 10⅜c.

TALLOW—Country, No. 1, 7½c; No. 2, 5¾@6c. Packers—Choice, 7¼c; Oleo-stearine, 14c.

COUNTRY LARD—8½@9½c, according to quality of package.

GREASE—County—Brown, 3⅞c; yellow, 4¼@[illegible]; white, 4⅝c. Packers, stock—Brown at 5@5½c; yellow at 5¼@5½c, white nominal at 7@7½c.

BEEF—On orders—Barreled—Plate at $12.50; roll and Fulton market at $12.50; mess at $11.50; dried, per pound—Sets, 3½c; insides, 15c; knuckles, 15c; outsides, 11½@12c; tongues, 15c per pound.

EGGS.

Receipts, 2691 cases local and 2762 through; shipments, 3600 cases. Nearby steady at 14½c and southern 1c less, loss off, cases returned.

BUTTER.

Creamery—		Packed	13 @14
Extras	22 @23	Dairy—	
Firsts	19 @20	Extra	18 @20
Seconds	16	Firsts	16 @17
Country—		Ladle packed—	
Choice roll	14	Firsts	17 @18
Poor to good	13	Extra	19

CHEESE—Scarce; firm. Orders: Twins, 14½c; singles, 14¾c; daisies, 14½c; Young Americas, 14½c; long horns, 14c; limburger, 14c. Swiss—Choice, 15@16c; No. 2, 12½@13c; brick, 14½c.

GRAIN MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

CHICAGO, May 6.—No sooner had the drouth scare in the southwestern fields been dispelled than grain speculators had a new weather bull argument to combat. Today traders were all fearing the heavy rains in the northwest would have bad results. Receipts at the northwestern points were very much curtailed and the delay in the spring seeding caused much comment about materially decreased acreage. July wheat opened ⅛@¼c to a shade higher at 75⅛c to 75c, and sold to 75⅛c. Cables started out lower, though comparatively firm. As the day advanced, however, they turned higher. The copious rains in the southwest—in fact, over all the wheat country—did much to offset the bullish feeling, and prices held steady at the advance. Corn was strong and aided in the upturn. Local receipts were 67 cars, 5 of contract grade; Minneapolis and Duluth reported only 84 cars, making a total for the three points of 151 cars, against 208 last week and 214 a year ago.

Absence of any selling pressure as prices advance added to the strength of the pit situation. July closed firm ⅝c higher at 75⅛@75¼c. There was good buying of corn all session and although late reports indicated a freer country movement, prices steadily advanced, July closing strong, 1@1¼c higher at 61⅛c.

Good buying after yesterday's break, higher cables and the strong position of the leading bull party started corn on the advance today. July opened a shade to ⅜@½c higher at 60⅞c to 61⅛c, and soon topped 61⅛c. Trade early was only fair, but offerings, both speculative and from the country, were small and prices held their advance steadily. Receipts were 209 cars.

Oats were slightly improved in tone as a result of the strength in corn and wheat. The cash situation was much improved, but trade was slow. July opened ⅛c up at 35⅛c and advanced to 35⅜c. Receipts were 296 cars.

Provisions met several weakening influences at the opening, which sent prices back. The hog situation was weaker, continued talk about the beef trust investigation had a depressing influence and outsiders sold liberally. Packers, as usual, turned in to support the market against any decline, but prices sagged off. July pork opened 5c down at $17.05, and sold down to $17; July lard 5c lower to unchanged at $10.12½ to $10.17½, and sold at $10.10, and July ribs a shade higher at $9.52½ and back to $9.50.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Close—Wheat: May, [illegible]; July, 75⅛@75¼c; Sept., 74¼c; Dec., 75⅝c. Corn—May, 60⅝c; July, 61⅞c; Sept., 60⅝c; Dec., 46½c; May (1903), 47¼c. Oats—May, 41¼c; July, 34⅝c; new, 35⅝c; Sept., 29¼@29⅜c; new, 30⅛c; Dec., 29⅛c; new, 31⅛c. Pork—May, $16.85; July, $16.95; Sept., $17; Jan., $16.97½. Lard—May, $10.07½; July, $10.07½@10.10; Sept., $10.15. Ribs—May, $9.47½; July, $9.50; Sept., $9.55. Flax—Cash northwest, $1.77; southwest, $1.64; May, $1.66; Sept., $1.43½; Oct., $1.41. Rye—May, 55½c; July, 56c. Barley—Cash, 65@71c. Timothy—Sept., $5. Clover—Cash, $8.35.

KANSAS CITY, May 6.—Close: Wheat—May, 72¼c; July, 72¼c; cash, No. 2 hard, 73c; No. 3, 71½@72½c; No. 2 red, 79c; No. 3, 77@[illegible]c. Corn—May, 62⅝@62½c; Sept., 57½c; cash, No. 2 mixed, 63@63½c; No. 2 white, 65@66c; No. 3, 64@65c. Oats—No. 2 white, 44⅛@45⅛c. Rye—No. 2, 58@59c. Hay—Choice timothy, $13.50@14; choice prairie, $12.50@13. Butter—Creamery, 21c; dairy, fancy, 18c. Eggs—Fresh, 14½c. Receipts of wheat 36 cars.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Wheat—Receipts, 304,200; firm and fairly active on complaints of excessive rains in the Northwest and small spring wheat receipts; May, 80⅞@80 13-16c; July, 80 11-16@80⅞c; Sept., 79⅝@79⅝c.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Poultry—Alive steady; turkeys, 9c; fowls, 12c. Dressed—Iced quiet; fowls, 12c; turkeys, 12@13c.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Prices of stocks started upwards at the opening of today's market. The buying was well distributed through all departments of the list. The gains reached a point or over in St. Paul, Canadian Pacific, Louisville and Manhattan.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Butter—Receipts, 9088 packages; firm. State dairy, 20@22c; creamery, state, 21½@24c; creamery, imitation, 20@22c; factory, 19@21c. Cheese—Receipts, 3104 packages; firm. Fancy large full cream, fall make, colored and white, 12¼c; fancy small state full cream, early make, colored and white, 13¼c. Eggs—Receipts, 23,622 packages; weak. State and Pennsylvania, 17c; western, at mark, 17@17¼c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal 96 test, 3⅝c; molasses sugar, 2⅞c; refined steady; crushed, 5.20c; powdered, 4.80c; granulated, 4.70c. Coffee dull; No. 7 Rio, 5 4-16c. Molasses steady; New Orleans, 33@41c.

LIVERPOOL, May 6.—Close: Wheat—Spot quiet; No. 2 red western winter, no stock; No. 1 northern spring, 6s 4½d; No. 1 California, 6s 4d; futures steady; May, 6s 1½d; July, 5s 11½d; Sept., 5s 11½d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 5s 8d; do old, 5s 9d; futures quiet; July, 5s 1½d; Oct., 5s 1¾d.

CHICAGO, May 6.—Butter firm; creameries, 18@23c; dairies, 17@20c. Cheese steady; twins, 12¼@12½c; daisies, 13c; Young Americas, 13c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, [illegible]. Live poultry steady; turkeys, 10@12½c; chickens, 11c.

Cotton Futures Steady.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Cotton futures opened steady at the decline; May, 9.12c; [illegible]

MERCANTILE SHARES STRONG AND ACTIVE

BIGGEST DEMAND IN MONTHS FOR BOTH ISSUES.

UNITED PREFERRED ANIMATED

Fourth National Was the Feature of the Banking List—Missouri-Edison Preferred Up.

Reported daily by the Wasserman-Rosenberg Bond and Stock Co., St. Louis.

The buoyant tone in the St. Louis security market was communicated to certain quarters of the market Tuesday, which have hitherto been bue slightly, or at least sympathetically, affected by the remarkable demonstration of strength among the bank and trust company section.

But the foremost portion of the list continues to be the bank and trust stocks and Tuesday saw the taking up of a numbeen less active.

Among the latter class, Fourth National Bank stock was the feature. This security, on which semi-annual payments of $5 was $308, after 40 shares had been taken at $307. There were no selling offers at the close, which represents the highest figures on record for the stock.

Continental National Bank stock also maintained its advance at $292.50, where 25 shares sold. This was the last selling offer on the stock, for which $292 was freely bid.

Another stock too near its previous topnotch figure was Boatmen's Bank, which stock sold at $221, compared with previous sales at $220. There were further selling offers at $221 at the close of the morning call.

The opening sale of Third National Bank was at $281, the same as Monday's high point. Subsequently the market for this popular issue receded to $280, with that the low point. The last transfer was at $280.50, which was offered for more, with $281 wanted by holders.

Little or no change was shown in the market for National Bank of Commerce stock, though there was plainly a resumption of the buying which has been going on in this stock for some time past.

The prices paid for National Bank of Commerce stock at the initial session were $385 and $384.50, with more to be had at $385 and bids of $384 numerous.

There was an extensive demand for both classes of Mercantile Trust Co. stocks, which succeeded in lifting the new stock from $429 to $431.50 and the old stock from $427.50 to $428.50—the advance therefore being a trifle disproportionate.

However, there was a wider inquiry for the new stock on the advance, though the sum total of the morning transactions were only 225 shares. The closing bid was the very highest price, $432, or 50 cents better than the last sale. There was no new stock offered.

The full-paid, or so-called "old" stock, was only sparingly sold at the higher prices, but 125 shares in all changing owners. Closing bids were $428, with $428.50 asked.

St. Louis-Union Trust shares were quite firm, selling at $385 and a small lot at $386.

Sales of Lincoln Trust stock were quite fair, the price paid being $270, with more to be had at $271 and $269.50 quite generally bid.

This stock has recently become quite active and was more eagerly sought for today than for some time.

At $183 a round lot of American Central Trust was taken, while Title Guaranty Trust was a trifle better at $125.50, for which 75 shares were absorbed.

There was free selling of Missouri Trust again at the first call and the sharp gain registered late last week was almost completely canceled. The market fell from $126.50 to $125.50, with $125 the best bid at the close of business.

A small lot of Mississippi Valley Trust stock sold at $450, which was bid for more.

There were heavier dealings in American Central Insurance stock than in months. The price was raised $4 to $251 before the finale, with $250.25 bid and $250.75 asked. Sales during the first call alone were in excess of 250 shares.

Chicago Railway Equipment stock sold at $8.05, a lot of 25 shares being taken.

The single sale of 300 shares of Missouri-Edison Electric prferred stock at a fractional gain attracted some attention, as being the heaviest trade in that security in months. For the amount named $4.5 was the cost per share, and that price offered for large amounts. The price asked was $41.

The common stock of the Missouri-Edison had bidders at $16.50.

Laclede aGs Light common was offered at $89.

United Railways preferred stock was heavily dealt in at the first session. There was a simultaneous demand for stock at $84, which was not satisfied, until, 735 shares had been exchanged. The same figure was bid further, $84.12½ being wanted.

St. Louis Transit, on the contrary, was dull at $30.87½ bid, $31 asked.

Of United Railways 4s, 10,000 brought $88.25.

FIRST CALL QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Ask.
American Central Trust	$183 00	....
Colonial Trust	224 50	....
Commonwealth Trust, old	....	327 00
Lincoln Trust	269 50	271 00
Mercantile Trust, old	428 00	428 50
Mercantile Trust, new	432 00	....
Mississippi Valley Trust	450 00	451 00
Missouri Trust	125 00	126 50
St. Louis Union Trust	385 00	....
Title-Guaranty Trust	125 50	....
Boatmen's	220 50	221 00
National Bank of Commerce	384 00	385 00
American Exchange	305 00	307 00
Continental National	292 00	292 50
Fourth National	308 00	....
Mechanics' National	274 00	277 50
Third National	280 50	281 00
St. Louis Transit	30 87½	31 00
United Railways pfd.	84 00	84 12½
do 4s	88 00	88 37½
Kinloch Telephone Co. 6s	108 00	108 50
Laclede Gaslight com.	....	89 00
Mo.-Edison Elec. Light Co. pfd.	40 50	41 00
do com.	16 50	17 00
American Central Ins. Co.	250 25	250 75
Ely-Walker D. G. Co. com.	115 00	120 00
Granite-Bimetallic	2 47½	....

SALES.

United Railways 4s, $5000 and $5000 at $88.25.

United Railways preferred, 20, 15, 50 at $84, 1 at $85, 50, 50, 50, 400 and 100 at $84.

American Central Insurance, 10 at $249, 15 and 14 at $250.25, 25, 25, 10, 15 and 25 at $250.50, and 10 at $251.

Chicago Railway Equipment, 25 at $8.05.

Missouri-Edison Electric preferred, 50 and 25 at $40, 300 at $40.50.

American Central Trust, 25 at *183.

Boatmen's Bank, 25 and 25 at $221.

Continental National Bank, 25 at $292.50.

Fourth National, 40 at $307.

Lincoln Trust, 25, 25, 30, 20 and 5 at $270.

Mercantile Trust, new, 25 at $429, 25 at $429.50, 25, 25 and 25 at $430, 25 at $430.50 and 25 at $431.50.

Mercantile Trust, old, 25 at 20 at $427.50, 25 and 35 at $428 and 20 at $429.

Mississippi Trust, old, 25 and 20 at $427.50, 25 and 35 at $428 and 20 at $429.

Mississippi Valley Trust, 10 at $450.

Missouri Trust, 25 at $126.50, 25 at $126.25, 25 at $126, 25 and 25 at $125.

St. Louis Union Trust, 5 at *386 and 25 at $385.

National Bank of Commerce, 25, 50, 50, 25, 10, 15, 25, 25, 10 and 15 at $385, 15, 10 and 50 at $384.50.

Third National Bank, 25 at $281, 25 and 25 at $280 and 20 and 10 at $280.50.

Title Guaranty Trust, 25, 25 and 25 at $125.50.

BANK STATEMENT.

Report of the condition of the

Fourth National Bank

OF ST. LOUIS,

At St. Louis, in the State of Missouri, at the close of business, April 30, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 7,254,019 05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,964 95
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	1,000,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	250,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	86,250 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	509,545 47
Other real estate owned	1,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	735,155 83
Due from state banks and bankers	6,858 17
Internal Revenue stamps	320 00
Checks and other cash items	80,991 74
Exchanges for clearing house	23,726 99
Notes of other national banks	18,431 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	24 17
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:	
Specie $1,019,580	
Legal tender notes ..... 670,000—	1,689,580 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	50,000 00
Total	$11,707,867 37

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	103,782 62
National bank notes outstanding	998 000 00
Due to other national banks	3,066,263 47
Due to state banks and bankers	1,288,900 22
Dividends unpaid	100 00
Individual deposits, subject to check	2,789,522 44
Demand certificates of deposit	21,017 34
Time certificates of deposit	1,088,[illegible] 28
Certified checks	12,484 39
Cashier's checks outstanding	78,496 10
United States deposits	250,000 00
Liabilities other than those above stated, taxes reserved	10,940 31
Total	$11,707,867 37

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis ss:

I, H. A. Forman, president of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. A. FORMAN, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of May, 1902.

EDW. A. FAUST,
[illegible] BROWNING,
[illegible] LEWIS,
Directors.

[illegible], Notary Public.

WILL GOLD BE DEMONETIZED?

It's impossible for those not familiar with the facts and conditions to realize the significance of the astounding intelligence conveyed in the following dispatch—

THE MONETARY SYSTEM OF THE WORLD MAY BE REVOLUTIONIZED

TOPEKA, KAN., May 5th, 1902.

M. J. Brandt, Assistant General Manager,
Kansas Pioneer Gold Shale Co.,
913 Century Building, St. Louis, Mo.:

Doctor Fahrig's report to the Topeka Gold Shale Syndicate shows a net profit of $1.80 per ton of shale in gold and silver. This is on a commercial basis after operating mill six weeks and treating many tons of shale. I advise advancing stock to par immediately. Consult our President, Mr. Beatty, and wire me your decision.

(Signed) *C. E. FOOTE, Vice President.*

WHO PROF. FAHRIG IS.

Prof. E. Fahrig is Chief of Laboratories of the Philadelphia Commercial Museum and has been in Topeka 6 weeks, making these runs for the Topeka Gold Shale Syndicate, and has devoted most of his time for the past six months investigating these wonderful gold deposits; has made four trips from Philadelphia to the Smoky and treated many tons, both in his laboratory in Philadelphia and in the test mill reported above.

This report of Prof. Fahrig not only settles the question of the value of the shales, but shows them far richer than the most hopeful or sanguine expected. It further shows his process a success, and that the shales are now a money-making proposition. The shale treated by him was not from any particular spot or selected samples, but gathered at random from hundreds of places, thus proving the wide and general distribution of the values throughout the entire mass of shale. This, beyond question or doubt, makes the gold shale deposits along the Smoky Hill river, in Western Kansas, the greatest gold discovery in the history of the world. The shale deposits are practically inexhaustible; they cover a large area and are 400 feet thick as shown by the geological reports of the state of Kansas. Figured on the basis as certified by Prof. Fahrig's report, each acre of these gold fields is worth $2,000,000.

Our Company owns 520 acres in the very center of the richest of these deposits and each 10c share of stock in Our Company on that basis is worth $36.

The executive committee, acting on the telegram, deem it proper to state to the public that for four days from the publication of this notice they will sell stock at the present quotation of

2c PER SHARE--PAR VALUE 10c

We do this to give those at a distance, who have probably just received stock quotations from us, an opportunity to act, as we do not desire to be unjust or unfair. After four days the stock will positively advance to 3c and remain at that price for ten days, after which time it will positively be advanced, and probably to par,

10c PER SHARE.

This is the greatest fortune-making opportunity ever offered the American people. Remit by draft, postal or express order, and for the accommodation of local residents we will keep our offices open for the next four days until 7 o'clock in the evening.

KANSAS PIONEER GOLD SHALE CO.

739-740 MONADNOCK BUILDING, CHICAGO, ILL. 913 CENTURY BUILDING, ST. LOUIS, MO.

Domestic Exchange.

A. G. Edwards & Sons Brokerage Co., exchange brokers, quote domestic exchange as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
New York	10c premium	25c premium
Chicago	Par	15c premium
Louisville	Par	10c premium
Cincinnati	Par	10c premium
New Orleans	Par	10c premium

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 6.—Cotton very quiet; middling, [illegible]. Receipts, [illegible] bales; this day last year, [illegible]; since Sept. 1, [illegible]; this time last year, [illegible]. Shipments, [illegible]; this day last year, [illegible]. Stock, 21,11[illegible]; this day last year, [illegible].

NEW YORK STOCKS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

WALL STREET DID NOT REFLECT MONDAY'S DISTURBED CONDITION.

NEW YORK, May 6.—There was not much evidence in Wall street this morning of the disturbed conditions of yesterday. There was a very general conviction that the worst was known of the collapses of the Webb-Meyer exchange houses which suspended yesterday.

Interest was manifested in the progress of affairs of the suspended houses, which were not much cleared up by yesterday's meagre statements and admissions. It was reported this morning that the repurchase had been accomplished of the block of Rutland preferred stock, said to have been sold by Dr. W. Seward Webb to Alfred L. Meyer and which J. W. Davis & Co., offered yesterday to take at 108, the price supposed to have been paid by Mr. Meyer. This sale is expected to supply resources toward the satisfaction of claims against the embarrassed interests.

United States Bonds.

Government bonds closed as follows:

Name.	Int.	Due.	Coupon.	Bid.	Asked.
U.S.4s reg.	4 in coin	1907	Q. from May	111¾	112
U.S.4s cp.	4 in coin	1907	Q. from May	111¾	112
U.S.5s reg.	5 in coin	1904	Q. from Jan.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U.S.5s cp.	5 in coin	1904	Q. from Jan.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U.S.4s reg.	4 in coin	1925	Q. from Jan.	137¾	[illegible]
U.S.4s cp.	4 in coin	1925	Q. from Jan.	137¾	[illegible]
U.S.3s reg.	3 in coin	1918	Q. from Aug.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U.S.3s cp.	3 in coin	1918	Q. from Aug.	[illegible]	[illegible]
U.S.2s reg.	2 in coin	1930	Q. from May	[illegible]	[illegible]
U.S.2s cp.	2 in coin	1930	Q. from May	[illegible]	[illegible]

THE VIZNAGA GOLD MINING COMPANY,

OF ALAMO, MEXICO,

practically an extension of our great bonanza, the Aurora. Founders' Shares 7 1-2 cents per share for a few days only. Great opportunity for safe and profitable investment. Call or write for particulars.

DOUGLAS, LACEY & CO., Security Building, St. Louis, Mo.

New York Bond Sales.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Bond sales by thousands were as follows today:

FIRST CALL.

Atch. gen. 4s, 3 at 103¼.
do adj., 1 at 94.
B. & O. S. W. div. 3½s, 15 at 91¼@91⅜.
Central Ga. con. 5s, 7 at 108@109.
do 1st inc., 7 at 85½.
do 3d income, 10 at 26.
Cen. Pac. gtd. 4s, 10 at 102¼.
C. & O. gen. 4½s, 7 at 108¼@108⅜.
C. B. Q. 4s joint bonds, 71 at 95⅝@95⅞.
C. & N. W. gold 7s, 1 at 104¼.
Colo. Sou. 1st 4s, 22 at 95⅝.
Con. Tob. 4s, 47 at 66½@66¾.
C. F. I. con. 5s, 278 at 105@106.
Detroit So. 4s, 2 at 87⅝.
Erie Pa. col. tr. 4s, 3 at 95½.
I. & G. N. 1st 6s, 17 at 122¼.
L. & N. ufd. 4s, 4 at 103.
Mexican Central 1st inc., 15 at 33¼.
M. K. T. 2d 4s, 14 at 83@83¼.
M. P. 1st con. 6s, 3 at 122¼.
N. Y. C. L. S. col. 3½s, 2 at 85¼.
N. & W. con. 4s, 5 at 101⅝.
N. P. 4s, 40 at 105½.
do gen. 3s, 4 at 73½.
P. & E. inc. 4s, 25 at 74@74½.
Reading gen. 4s, 9 at 99⅝.
St. L. & I. M. ref. 4s, 2 at 94⅝.
St. L. S. W. 4s, 3 at 99.
St. L. 2d, 5 at 85¼.
S. A. & A. P. 4s, 10 at 91¼.
So. Pac. Cal. con. 5s stamped, 1 at 108¼.
Standard Twine inc., 66 at 16¼@16⅝.
T. C. I. Birm. div. 6s, 3 at 112¼.
U. P. 1st 4s, 10 at 105⅞@106.
do conv. 4s, 248 at 106¼@106⅝.
West Shore 4s, 8 at 114¼.
do reg., 12 at [illegible].
Wis. Central 4s, [illegible] at [illegible].
W. L. E. 1st con. 4s, [illegible] at [illegible].
Wab. deb. B, 237 at 77@77½.

DIVIDEND NOTICES.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

GRANITE MOUNTAIN OIL CO.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Granite Mountain Oil Co., held in Beaumont, Tex., Monday, April 21, 1902, a dividend of 2 per cent was officially declared, payable to all shareholders of record May 20. On that day the books will close, and checks will be issued so as to reach shareholders June 1, 1902.

D. O. LIVELY, Treasurer
and Managing Director.

Beaumont, April 21, 1902.

New York Money and Exchange.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Noon.—Money on call firm at 8@9 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4¼@5¼ per cent. Sterling exchange weak, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87¼@4.87⅜ for demand and at $4.84¼@4.85¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.86 and $4.88½@4.89; commercial bills, $4.84¼@4.85¼. Mexican dollars, 41c. Government bonds steady; ref. 2s reg. and cp., 109½; 3s reg. and cp., 108¾; new 4s reg. and cp., 137¾; old 4s reg. and cp., 111¼; 5s reg. and cp., 103⅝. Bar silver, 57c.

DEATHS.

EMERSON—On Monday, May 5, Thomas Lee Emerson, beloved husband of Elizabeth Emerson (nee Gibson), son of Mary F. and Thomas E. Emerson, deceased.

Funeral service at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Carondelet. Interment private.

We Offer for Public Subscription at 97½ and Interest

$1,000,000

DETROIT UNITED RAILWAY

FIRST CONS'D MORTGAGE

Gold 4½% Bonds

DATED JAN. 1, 1902. DUE JAN. 1, 1932.

Subject to call at 105 and interest.
Interest payable January and July 1st, at

GUARANTY TRUST CO., NEW YORK

Denomination $1000.

Statement of Earnings for Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1901:

Gross Earnings	$2,919,171 36
Operating Expenses (*including taxes*)	1,596,765 60
Net Earnings (*increase of $186,187.09 over 1900*)	$1,322,405 76
Income from Other Sources	23,066 99
Total Net Income	$1,345,472 75
Interest on Funded Debt	675,343 00
SURPLUS Applicable to Dividends	$ 670,129 75

Earnings of Company for the Year 1902 Based on Present Receipts:

The net earnings for January, February and March, 1902, increased $37,747.60, or 14 per cent over same period for 1901. On the basis of these results the company will earn for the present fiscal year, say, $3,500,000 gross, equivalent to about $1,575,000 net, or more than double the interest charge on its bonds.

The Detroit United Railway was incorporated in 1900 and owns or controls 504 miles of road comprising all the street railway lines in the City of Detroit and Suburbs.

The total amount of bonds outstanding on present property is $16,880,000.

The capital stock of the Company is $12,500,000, on which quarterly dividends are being paid at the rate of 4 per cent per annum; it is selling at $75.00 per share, showing the value of the equity outside of the bonded debt to be about $9,000,000.

Subscription Books will be opened at the offices of E. H. Gay & Co., on the morning of Thursday, May 8, 1902, and closed the same day. Application blank and descriptive circulars upon request. The privilege is reserved of allotting a proportionate part of each subscription.

E. H. GAY & CO.

BOSTON. NEW YORK. MONTREAL. PHILADELPHIA.

Will Pay 18% Annual Dividend

IN SIX MONTHS.

Only 25,000 Shares Remain at $1 per Share.

THE PENNSYLVANIA HILL MINING CO. of Nevada offers shareholders an unparalleled opportunity to make big money from small investments. This Company is founded upon strictly business principles, and surrounds its shareholders with every safeguard. It is no stock jobbing proposition, but strictly legitimate mining. Its intent is to make money for its stockholders, by taking the ore from the earth, and not by simply selling shares. Its directory and shareholders comprise some of the most prominent and reliable business men in the west.

Capital, 1,000,000 Shares. Par Value, $1 Each

OFFICERS:

V. O. SAUNDERS, President, St. Louis, Mo.
E. E. JOHNSTON, Vice-Pres., Sedalia, Mo.
F. L. WRIGHT, Treasurer, Smithton, Mo.
GEO. W. HARLAN, Secretary, Otterville, Mo.

Some of the largest Stockholders are such well-known Gentlemen as:

ELIAS MICHAEL, of Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co.
MURRAY CARLETON, of Carleton Dry Goods Co.
WM. STIX, of Rice-Stix Dry Goods Co.
JOHN A. SCHULTZ, of Schultz Belting Co.
B. C. ALVORD, of Schultz Belting Co.

This company owns eight patented claims in the Bull Run Range, aggregating 140 acres, which have been fully developed to a point where all that is necessary to place same on a permanent dividend-paying basis is the erection of a mill and cyanide plant, for which purpose we offer 100,000 shares of treasury stock at par. We reserve the right to advance the price without further notice and to allot a less number of shares than applied for. After sale of this 100,000 shares is completed, there will be remaining unsold in the treasury 250,000 shares of stock. An opportunity for a safe and sure investment which you cannot afford to miss. Make checks favor president. Call or address

ROOM 403 CARLETON BUILDING, - SIXTH AND OLIVE STS.

"Verde Grande"

Will Sell at $25 Per Share Until June 1st. Balance of Allotment, If Any, Will Advance to $50 Per Share on That Date.

SMELTER—A smelter, daily capacity 100 to 125 tons (approximate weight 83 tons), has been ordered from the Allis-Chalmers Co., of Chicago, and will be shipped from that point within 90 days. It will require about a month to get it in shape for operation after delivery at the mines.

Old miners say "Verde Grande" is the largest paying ore body uncovered in the history of the Mexican Republic. We believe it will prove the largest on the North American Continent.

CALL OR WRITE FOR EXPERTS' REPORTS.

SUITE 802 CARLETON BUILDING, SIXTH AND OLIVE.

CHOICE INVESTMENT SECURITIES.

WE HAVE FOR SALE:

MUNICIPAL SECURITIES THAT WILL NET FROM 3½ TO 5½ PER CENT.
RAILROAD BONDS TO NET 3½ TO 5.30 PER CENT.
STREET RAILWAY SECURITIES TO NET FROM 4 TO 5½ PER CENT.
TELEPHONE BONDS TO NET ABOUT 5½ PER CENT.

These securities were purchased primarily for our own investment. We have recently added to our stock some attractive bonds, which we are now offering to our customers. Correspondence or personal interviews solicited. Our representative will call if requested. List of bonds mailed on application.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST COMPANY.

THE AMERICAN EXCHANGE BANK,

207 N. Broadway (bet. Olive and Pine sts.), with

HALF MILLION
Full Paid Capital and
HALF MILLION

Dollars Surplus, conducting its business along strictly commercial lines, loaning money in moderate amounts to reputable business houses for legitimate mercantile needs, has daily added to its line of patrons, and today, with total resources of over

SIX AND THREE-QUARTER MILLIONS,

Solicits accounts, promising that all business intrusted to it will be handled with courtesy, promptness, [illegible] and [illegible].

Interest paid on time certificates.

MADAME M. YALE

Mme. Yale's Hair Tonic.

The first and only discovery in the history of chemistry known to turn gray hair back to its natural and original color without dye. It acts on the natural, live coloring matter of the hair, increasing and giving it circulation. It tones up the debilitated nerve force and the torpid glands to a healthy reaction, curing all diseases of the scalp. It creates a luxuriant growth, stops hair falling in from twenty-four hours to one week. It softens the hair when harsh or dry; contains no greasy matter, sulphur of lead, or any other injurious or unpleasant substance. Permanently cures dandruff.

MME. YALE'S HAIR TONIC is a perfect Hair Dressing, rendering the hair glossy and fluffy, greatly aiding it to remain in curl.

$1.00 a bottle. Sold Everywhere.

Write for Mme. Yale's book to Beauty, "Woman's Wisdom" (contains 96 pages). Mailed free. Address

MME. YALE,
189 Michigan Av., Chicago

THREE WIVES MET IN A COURTROOM

JOHN HARTMANN, THE HUSBAND, WAS THERE, TOO, AS PLAINTIFF.

HAD BEEN DIVORCED FROM TWO

Former Spouses Testified Against Him, and When He Lost the Case They Were Pleased.

Three women, one the present wife of William Hartman of 608 South Fourth street, and two who formerly were united to Hartmann by marital bonds, attended the hearing of his suit for damages Monday afternoon in the Circuit Court.

John Block, a saloonkeeper at Twentieth and Market streets, was the defendant. The amount asked was $6000.

Hartmann did not know that the defense had summoned his two ex-wives and when they were called to the stand he stared in astonishment. The present Mrs. Hartmann, who sat with a baby by her husband's side, flushed and then turned her back on the other women.

Mrs. Caroline Pitz of 627 Harris street staetd that she had married Hartmann twenty-five years ago and secured a decree of divorce twelve years later.

Mrs. Mary Heitz of 1242 South Broadway admitted that she was the plaintiff's second wife. She obtained a decree last June.

The purpose of the defense in summoning the women was to show that Hartman was not injured in Block's saloon as he claimed, but that the injury he complains of is of long standing.

His former wives testified to hearing him say his back had been hurt years ago.

The jury found for the defendant. The ex-wives nudged each other and smiled broadly as they left the court room together.

CITY NEWS.

Candidly, we believe it would be much to your interest before buying your new parasol to take a look through the superb stock at THE CRAWFORD STORE. CRAWFORD'S have styles confined to themselves and not to be seen elsewhere, and their prices are most moderate.

MARTINELLI'S RECALL.

Nothing Known by the Public of the Papal Delegate's Successor.

WASHINGTON, May 6.—Cardinal Martinelli has received his official recall to Rome from the Pope. His instructions are to leave the affairs of the papal delegation in the hands of Mgr. Marchette, the Auditor and Mgr. Rooker, the Secretary.

The despatch from the Pope is, so far as known, silent as to Cardinal Martinell's successor.

POISON WAS IN HER STOMACH.

Police Are Puzzled by Sudden Death of Preacher's Daughter.

NEW YORK, May 6.—Considerable mystery surrounds the sudden death at Green Point, Long Island, of Miss Marlania F. Mason at the home of her father, the Rev. John Mason, pastor of the Orchard Primitive Methodist church, in Oakland street. A coroner's physician who performed an autopsy has signed a certificate stating that death was caused be an irritant poison. He added positively that the young woman died from the effects of a corrosive agent, possibly carbolic acid, taken either by mistake or intentionally. But this opinion is not accepted by the young woman's relatives.

Miss Mason was 22 years old and the organist in her father's church. She also taught a class of children in the Sunday school. During Monday evening she played and sang. A few hours later she was found dead in her bed.

Mrs. Jones' "At Home."

Mrs. S. L. Jones of 4028 West Belle place, Victoria Hotel, announces to the W. C. T. U. and their friends that she will be at home Tuesday afternoon, May 6. There will be a musicale from 3 to 4. Social from 4 to 5. The program follows:

Vocal solo, Miss Kate Meiser, Mrs. Joseph R. Roycroft; piano solo, Miss Mammie Kassau; Recitation, selected, Miss Eugenia Sullivan; recitation, Mrs. Constance L. Waltters; mandolin solo, Ralph C. Jones, accompanied by Leslie Jones with guitar; duet, Mrs. Eunice Wickwell and Miss Julia Baptiste, accompanied by Mrs. J. J. Searcy; flower mission department, Mrs. E. B. Kerr; anti-cigarette, Mrs. F. H. Ingalls; piano solo, Miss Edna Meiser.

75 Cents to $1.50 Excurion,

Via Big Four Ry., to Bunker Hill, Pana, Litchfield, Hillsboro, Shelbyville, Mattoon and way stations. Train leaves 8:32 a. m. Sunday, May 11. Get tickets Broadway and Chestnut street, or station.

Soap Combine Is Projected.

NEW YORK, May 6.—By incorporation in Maine of the United States Soap Corporation, with a capital of $1,000,000, work has been, it is said, actually undertaken on plans for the combination of the soap manufacturing interests of the East. One plant already has been absorbed.

An Improvement.

Help nature's effect and improve the appearance of your lawn by using our lawn seat colors on the settees and chairs. Made in suitable shades. Platt & Thornburgh Paint Co., [illegible] Franklin avenue.

POLICE LOOK FOR MISS BABINGTON

She Left Her Home Friday Morning.

NINETEEN AND A BRUNETTE

EMPLOYED AS STENOGRAPHER BY BRAKE COMPANY.

Was to Have Visited Miss Stahlhuth in Maplewood, but Canceled Engagement Over the Telephone.

Last Friday morning Miss Etta Babington left her home, 1910 Arlington avenue, to go to the office of the American Brake Co. in which she acted as stenographer. She did not return home after the work of the day and her family has not seen or heard of her since. The police have been asked to find her.

Miss Babington is described as a beautiful girl, about 19 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches tall and a brunette.

The members of the family have no definite theories as to the cause of her disappearance and are loth to think she has absented herself by her own volition.

Miss Babington did not return to her desk at the office of the American Brake Co. Saturday morning. It was known that she had an engagement to visit Miss Lily Stahlhuth of Moplewood Saturday night and spend Sunday with her, but she broke this engagement over the telephone Friday afternoon.

As soon as her absence was assured her family searched for her among the varisou members of the family. It was thought at her home Friday night that she might have spent the night with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Babington, of 5021 Minerva avenue. When it was found she had not been there, her brother, Martin Babington, and Ben Stahlhuth drove to Maplewood, only to find that she had not been there. Relatives in Ohio were telegraphed to but they wired back that she was not there.

Friday one of the officers of the American Brake Co. left St. Louis for Pittsburg. He is about 50 years old and has a wife and four children. One of his daughters was on very friendly terms with Miss Babington, who frequently visited her at her home.

Every effort will be made to find the young woman.

WILL NOMINATE RODENBERG.

Congressional Convention in Session in East St. Louis City Hall Tuesday.

The Republican congressional convention for the Twenty-second Illinois district met in the City Hall auditorium at East St. Louis at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday morning and effected temporary organization, adjourning until 1:30 o'clock.

The convention was called to order by J. A. Willoughby of Belleville, chairman of the St. Clair County congressional committee. Henry J. Schmidt of Washington County read the call. W. E. Hadle was made temporary chairman and H. H. Hosmer temporary clerk.

There is no opposition to the nomination of Former Congressman William A. Rodenberg of East St. Louis for Congress.

Fredericktown, Mo., and Return, $1.25,

Sunday, May 11, via Iron Mountain Route; train lease Union Station 8:30 a. m.

Detroit United Railway.

Messrs. E. H. Gay & Co. in their advertisement in this issue are offering $1,000,000 first consolidated mortgage 4½ per cent gold 30-year bonds of the Detroit United Railway at 97½ and interest, subject to call at 105 and interest. Subscriptions open and close May 8.

The Detroit United Railway owns or controls 504 miles of street railway in Detroit and suburbs. Its total outstanding bonds are $16,880,000, and its capital stock, paying 4 per cent dividends and selling at 75 is $12,500,000. Net earnings in 1901 were $1,345,472, and interest on funded debt $675,343 leaving a surplus before dividends of $670,129. Net earnings in the first quarter of this year increased 14 per cent, on which basis net for 1902 should reach $1,575,000.

Thirty Choice Lots and Corners.

Henry E. Bartling will knock down tomorrow afternoon 30 choice lots and five business corners in Allen's Lafayette addition, fronting on Russell, Allen, Geyer, Gravois, Indiana and Jefferson avenues. The improvements include Telford streets, granitoid walks, gutters and curbs, sewer and gas mains. All the lots are uniformly graded and have building line restrictions.

The property belongs to Miss Elizabeth L. Donaldson, one of the Allen heirs, who desires to wind up her interest in the addition. The terms will be unusual, one-fourth cash, balance in one, two and three years, with interest at 3 per cent.

Street Opening Hearing.—The board of Public Improvements will be asked today to set a date for the hearing on the street opening of Nineteenth street. Among these proposed openings are the changing of Forest Park boulevard into a boulevard and the widening of King's highway south of Manchester avenue for 200 feet. The widening of King's highway will be necessary to make an outlet for those who have land on each side of the proposed new bridge to be built over the railroad tracks. It will cost about $350,000 to carry out the proposed plans.

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CONCESSIONS MAY AVERT COAL STRIKE

EMPLOYERS SAID TO HAVE OFFERED SOME TO MINERS.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 6.—John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, did not act this morning like a man who intended to lead an army of 147,000 strikers.

A great change has come over him during the past 24 hours. Instead of being morose and gloomy, he seemed fairly happy. He has been opposed to a strike and the thought of a conflict had made him wretched.

His changed appearance indicated that he had evidently heard something which may yet intervene to prevent a great struggle.

What the information was could not be ascertained, as Mitchell declined to talk, but it was learned that President Baer of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, through the intervention of Senator Hanna, had made some concessions to Mr. Mitchell, which the latter is now considering.

Mr. Mitchell is busy preparing a report on these lines, and, if the concessions are accepted by the convention of twenty-eight delegates who will meet in Scranton tomorrow, the strike may be avoided.

It is true, nevertheless, that the chances are strongly in favor of a strike.

From the start Mr. Mitchell and his colleagues, Fahey, Nichols and Duffy, have been opposed to a strike and were willing to come to any reasonable agreement.

President Truesdale of the Delaware & Lackawanna railroad, and Chairman Thos. of the board of directors of the Erie railroad were also friendly disposed to the labor representatives and would have granted some concessions but for President Baer, who, it is said, was the principal obstacle in the matter of bringing about a settlement.

Mr. Baer argued that the companies could not afford to reduce the hours of labor or to increase the pay of the miners.

HER NAME IN SONG CAUSED A WEDDING

ACTOR RUPENTHAL SANG "CORA, HOW I ADORE HER."

She always did adore a light
Comedian, Miss Cora Light,
Who came from rural Rolla here
And found her true Apollo Dear.

Addison F. Rupenthal, who lives on Lucky street, and is a light comedian, announces himself in luck, having wedded Miss Cora Light of Rolla, Mo., a week ago, after eloping.

Mr. Rupenthal won his bride in a unique manner. Two years ago he was a guest at the home of Harry Sievers, 4970 Magnolia avenue, where he sang the song, "Cora, How I Adore Her."

Among the guests was Miss Cora Light, to whom the young actor had not been introduced. It was observed that Miss Cora blushed. The other guests joked her, the couple were made acquainted, and Mr. Rupenthal, who was known to the comic stage as Frank Edison, escorted the Rolla girl to Union Station that night, where she took a train for home.

As soon as the theatrical season closed this year, Mr. Rupenthal visited Miss Light at her home. Her father is a veteran 'Frisco engineer. The young people accompanied Mr. Light to his engine one day last week and then slipped away to the pastor of the Rolla Baptist Church and were married.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupenthal live at 3726 Lucky street. Mr. Rupenthal says he is going to retire from the stage and take up mercantile life.

A New Carpenters' Union.—Local No. 1100, Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, was instituted Monday night at 604 Market street, with 183 charter members, most of them employed in planing mills. Temporary officers were elected as follows: Charles Kaetzel, chairman; Emil Linck, recording secretary; Adolph Rink, financial secreatry.

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12½c Percales, 4¼c.
1200 yards of figured and striped percales, 36 inches wide, the 12½c quality, until sold out.........4¾c

$3 Trimmed Hats, $1.48.
Hand made dress shapes, black and colors, trimmed with silk mull and fine flowers, made to sell at $3.00 Wednesday.........$1.48

Children's Hats, 59c.
Fancy straw flats trimmed with large wreath and rosettes, $1.25 values.........59c

AT 2 P. M. UNTIL SOLD.
10c Chambray Ginghams, 4½c.
10c Chambray Ginghams, in plain and striped effects, the regular 10c quality; until sold out.........4½c

CORSETS 19c
250 short hip summer Corsets, well made all sizes, 35c values, now.........19c

LADIES' GOWNS—
Empire high neck, with embroidery insertion and tucks, 50c kind, Wednesday.........39c

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10 to 12 A. M.
12½c Lonsdale Cambric, 5c.
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A Picnic for Thrifty Buyers.
$1.50 Ladies' Shoes—Vici kid, patent leather tips, new shapes, sizes 3 to 8, now.........95c
$1.50 Boys' Shoes—Vici kid, extension soles, sizes 2 to 5½, now.........95c
85c Children's Shoes—Vici kid, turn soles, spring heels, sizes 4 to 8, now.........49c
$2.50 Ladies, Shoes, high and low cut, finest Vici kid, extension soles and close edges, snappy styles, now.........$1.45

Laces and Embroideries.
Sensational Selling.
6¼c Embroideries.........3c
15c Embroideries.........9c
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15c Bolt Lace, 12 yards piece.........5c

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$7.50 Ingrain Room Rugs, 9x12 feet.........$3.95
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$1.00 Lace Curtains, pair.........50c
$2.00 Lace Curtains, pair.........98c
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BOY'S CLOTHING.
Wednesday Snaps.
Boys' $1.50 Double-Breasted Suits, now.........48c
Boys' 50c Blue Denim Overalls—with or without bibs.........29c
Boys' $1.00 Star Waists, slightly soiled, now.........29c

LADIES' SKIRTS, WAISTS.
WEDNESDAY'S GREAT SELLING.
Ladies' $1.25 Laundered Waists, now.........29c
$2.00 White Linen and Gingham Waists—black and white dotted Swiss—Gibson effect—now.........98c
$6.00 Net Skirts, drop skirts, elaborately trimmed.........$3.75
$8 Brilliantine, Venetian Scotch Cloth Skirts.........$3.95

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Teasing Values.
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